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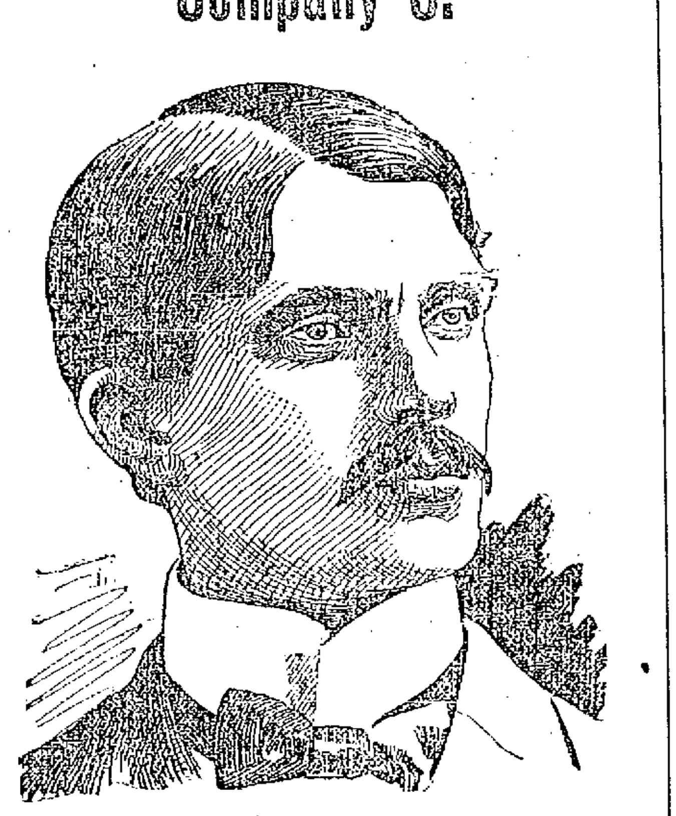
FINAL MUSTER OUT

Of Private Harvey Aldrich of Company G.



The Late PRIVATE HARVEY M. ALDRICH.

Impressive Service at First Baptist Church—Stirring Eulogy by Rev. Smith T. Ford—Military Honors to the Dead Soldier.

With full military honors, all that was mortal of the late Private Harvey M. Aldrich was laid to rest in the Edson cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Shortly after 1 o'clock prayer was offered at the residence, 29 Washington street by Rev. Smith T. Ford in the presence of a large number of friends relatives and neighbors of the deceased, the military and fraternal organizations remaining drawn up in line "face front" on the street outside the windows. As the remains were being borne from the house enclosed in a steel gray casket, wrapped up in the American flag, the Lowell Military band performed with great feeling and effect Missud's "To Unknown Heroes." Then the journey began to the church through Washington, to Hale, Cambridge, Chelmsford, Appleton, Church and George streets. The sidewalks and streets along the route traversed were lined with people, as were the thoroughfares adjacent to the First Baptist church where the funeral services were held, but Lieut. Webster with a detail of the day shift of the police department kept the crowds at a respectful distance so as not to interfere with the funeral procession.

The ushers from Company G were Privates Crowell, Doyle, Kenney, Delmore, Brackley and Haskell, and they were assisted in their duties by the regular ushers of the church. Long before two o'clock, the friends of the deceased began to arrive but the combined corps of ushers was efficient to take care of the gathering. For awhile the general public remained outside of the auditorium but the galleries were filled early. A large delegation of Eirene lodge arrived and was given a place on the right of the church.

When the body was brought into the church the band performed "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and Mr. A. F. French performed a funeral march on the organ.

The front of the pulpit platform was draped with black and white and the banisters leading to the pulpit with red, white and blue bunting. When the flowers arrived they were arranged on small tables below the pulpit and surrounding the large gilt-framed picture of the dead soldier. Several of the ladies of the church assisted the ushers in the arrangement.

The service began at 2.30 when Rev. S. T. Ford and Rev. Thomas Sayers entered the auditorium by the center door, the former reading a passage of scripture, "I am the Resurrection and the Life." They were immediately followed by Captain Carr of Company G and the casket containing the remains of Private Aldrich, borne by the eight bearers and covered with an American flag. Next followed the mourners and friends, including Major Greig and ex-Mayor Bennett. Then came the members of the military companies and volunteers and the public and when all were seated, the quartet consisting of Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Miss Lena Reid, Mr. Oscar Walsh and Mr. Warren T. Reid feelingly rendered "Sometime We'll Understand."

"Not now, but in the coming years,
It may be in the better land,
We'll read the meaning of our tears,
And there sometime we'll understand.
Then trust in God, thro' all thy days
Fear not for He doth hold thy hand,
Tho' dark the way, still sing and praise,
Sometime We'll Understand."

Rev. Thos. Sayers then invoked the divine blessing and also read the scripture lesson, after which the quartet sang "I'm Going Home."

My heavenly home is bright and fair,
Nor pain nor death can enter there;
I'm going home, I'm going home,
I'm going home to die no more."

After Rev. Mr. Ford sought the divine blessing, the quartet rendered "Abide With Me" and the former then began his eulogy with the following appropriate words:

The muffled drum's sad roll has beat
The soldiers' last tattoo.
No more on life's parade shall meet
That brave and fallen few.
On fame's eternal camping ground,
Their silent tents are spread,
And glory guards with solemn sound
The bivouac of the dead."

Pastor Ford then spoke in part as follows: "There is something strangely beautiful that on this day when all through our beloved land the comrades of the G. A. R. gather in sacred service having in mind the decoration of the graves of their dead heroes, it has become our solemn duty to pay a tribute of respect and high honor to one who belonged to our great army. He was a part of the nation's army, one who bared his bosom to the storm of battle and gave himself which is the most that anyone could give, to his country and to his country's call. While from year to year, we gather to strew flowers on the graves of the heroic dead, the blossoms will fall on the sod above the brow of him whose comradeship, whose suffering and whose kinship in a great cause unites him with those who struggled at Concord and Lexington, of those who charged up Malvern Hill or stood at old Appomattox; unites him with all he loved, the flag and liberty, and he counted the nation's honor more than life itself.

He is a part of the nation now because his heart throbbed with the nation's anguish. He indeed is more a part of the nation than we are. He belonged more to the world than to the

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A Piano Polish, Mother of Pearl Inlaid, Arm Rocker, Wood or Leather Seat, Quartered Oak or Mahogany Finish, well worth and sold to date for $5.00. Price this week.

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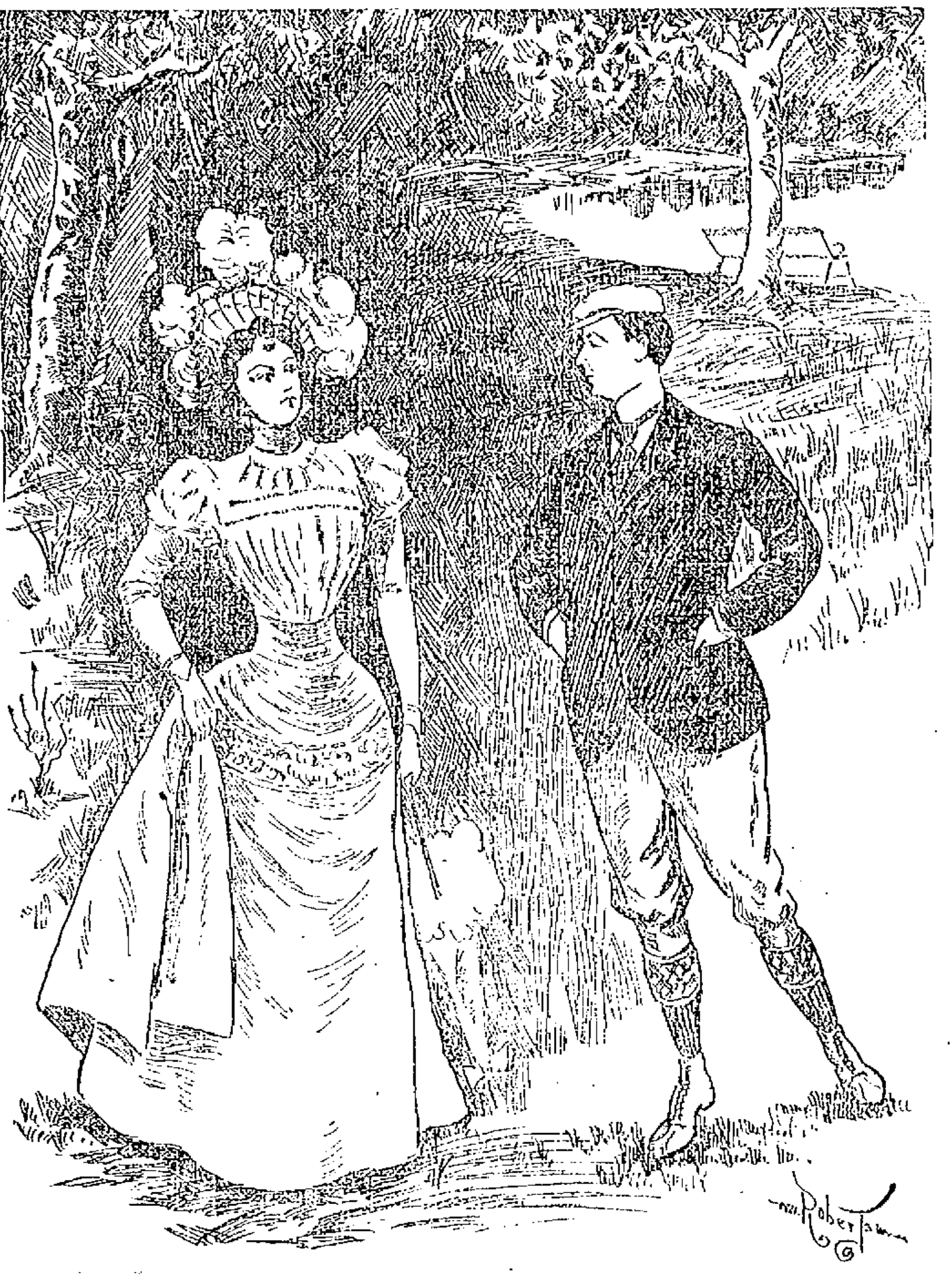

SEEN AND HEARD AT LAKEVIEW YESTERDAY.

Gyp: The season is awfully dry, George.
George: What can you expect under no-license?
Gyp: I wasn't referring to that. We're in need of rain badly.
George: Yes, particularly in the city.
Gyp: And why there?
George: Oh, the water supply is getting short. Can't get anything else to drink.

CAPT. TILLEY DEAD

Head of the Signal Service Shot Down.

Lured to Cable House by a White Flag—The Insurrection Takes on New Lease of Life—Americans Forced to Feed the Helpless Filipinos.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 29.—11.25 a. m.—Captain Tiley of the Signal Corps, with a detachment made up of other members of the corps landed at Escalante, on the Island of Negros, to pick up and repair the cable. The natives had a white flag flying over the cable house when the party landed. The latter, however, were no sooner on shore than they were fired upon by the natives. They at once took to the water, and a number of them were picked up by a boat, but Captain Tilley and two native men of the party are missing. General Smith, with a detachment of troops, has started on board a gunboat to investigate the affair.

The transports Senator and Ohio arrived today.

INSURGENTS MORE AGGRESSIVE.
By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 28.—The approach of the wet season finds the insurrection seemingly taking a new lease of life. All along the American lines the rebels are showing more aggressive activity, in their guerilla style, than at any time before the fall of Malolos. They keep the United States troops in the trenches, sleeping in their clothing, and constantly on the alert against dashes upon our outposts; and they make life warm for the American garrisons in the the towns.

The bands of Gen. Luna and Gen. Mascardo, which retreated towards Tarlio when they feared they would be caught between Gen. MacArthur and Gen. Lawton, have returned in force to their old trenches around San Fernando, where there are daily collisions.

Opposite our lines on the south, protecting Manila, all the way around to San Pedro Macati, the Filipinos have three rows of trenches most of the distance.

Reports from prisoners indicate that the insurgents construe the peace negotiations to mean that the Americans have had enough of fighting. The Filipinos are also encouraged by the belief that the Americans are preparing for an interval of inactivity during the wet season.

This period is sure to be followed by much suffering. Thousands of acres that were under cultivation last year have not been ploughed this, and the government will probably be obliged to feed thousands, just as it fed the Cubans.

AGUINALDO REPORTED DEAD.
By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The Sun this morning prints the following cablegram:

"MANILA, May 28.—The Spanish newspapers publish a report that is impossible of confirmation, to the effect that Aguinaldo is dead.

"The cause of his death, the papers say, is not exactly known, but they declare that he either committed suicide or was assassinated."

AMBULANCES CASES

BICYCLIST'S HIP FRACTURED—MAN FELL FROM NASHUA CAR.

William Davidson of 780 Gorham street, was thrown from his bicycle yesterday morning on Upper Gorham street and had his hip fractured. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital.

A man named George McMullen was hurled from a Nashua car at the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street at about 7 o'clock last night and was severely bruised about the head. The ambulance was summoned and it had got as far as the corner of Bridge street on its way to St. John's hospital, when McMullen, who by this time was confident that he could walk refused to go any further.

POLICE COURT

A VERY LARGE GRIST BEFORE JUDGE HADLEY.

There were 46 drunks before Judge Hadley this morning, of which number twenty-three were arrested in Dracut and four from the Lawrence cars. Of the number Timothy J. Bresnahan, Minnie Kennedy and Hugh Molloy were each fined $10. Eleven were fined $6; four were fined $5 and one $3.

Of the sentences Mary D. Cote and Bridget McSorley each received three months in jail.

The following cases were continued: Martin Rainville and Henry St. George for drunkenness and violation of liquor law; Joseph Provost, drunkenness; and Maria Shinley, assault and battery.

The continued case of Joseph Reilly was further continued.

HIS LEG BROKEN.

Edward Foster, residing on the Tremont corporation and employed by Connors' brothers had his right leg severely crushed and broken by a heavy stone which he was removing from a freight car to his employers' team in Jackson street this morning. The ambulance, which was summoned, took him to St. John's hospital.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

John J. Lacey, 28, Mary A. Blekeney, 24; William F. Latour, 23, Mary J. Gordan, 25; Charles W. Wakefield, 50, Hattie C. Wills, 28; Belanie Richard, 28, Louzelie Paradis, 24; Joseph Michaud, 29, Leontine D. Amois, 20; Harry J. Whitney, 22, Sadie E. Pillsbury, 22.

Wanted, 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

NOTICE REMOVAL.

On and after the present date, I shall vacate my law office in Glidden Building and take office in Tyler's block, 71 Central street, corner Market.
—F. C. Wright,
Lowell, Mass., June 1st, 1899.

The Collinsville mills started up this morning on full time.

JUNE INTEREST COMMENCES.

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OPERATIVES OUT

Accident in Carpet Mills This Morning.

A steam pipe on one of the boilers in the Carpets mills broke down shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon, necessitating a shut down of nearly all the departments of the great plant. The operatives were told to return to work this afternoon and it is thus expected that the break will be speedily remedied.

FUNERALS.

Mr. Edgar Massey, formerly head wine clerk of J. J. Courtney is now head clerk for H. E. Dillane, 2 Water street, Nashua, N. H., where he royally entertains any wanderers from Lowell.

PEPIN—The funeral services of P. Thomas Pepin were held Saturday afternoon at the home of his brother, 18 Phillips street. Rev. C. E. Fisher officiated and H. W. Brown sang. The bearers were Albert French, Miles Gardner, J. Stahl and W. G. Gerrish. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Weinbeck.

MOORE—The funeral services of S. Warren Moore were held at his late home in Pine street at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. George N. Howard of Melrose, assisted by Rev. A. E. Wilson officiated. The body was taken to Northwood, N. H., for burial.

GOODALE—The funeral services of Nancy A. Goodale were held at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Edson cemetery chapel, prayers having been said at 1.30 o'clock at the home of the deceased, 757 Varnum avenue. Rev. R. A. Greene officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. C. M. Young & Co. were in charge.

FOSTER—The funeral services of Lucinda C. Foster were held Sunday afternoon at her late home, 269 Cabot street. Rev. F. A. Warfield officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young & Co.

Wanted, 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

FELL INTO A SCUTTLE.

Florence O'Neil, an employe of the Lowell Machine shop fell into a scuttle while at work this morning and was severely bruised about the head. He was removed to the corporation hospital in the ambulance. After having his wounds attended to he was able to walk to his home on the Merrimack corporation.

John P. Crowley, better known as "Jasper" formerly of the Park Exchange, has accepted a position with W. H. Ranley, manager of the Interstate Household and Mackintosh Supply Co., of Providence, R. I.

DIED HOMELESS

Alex Smith Passed Away in Ladd House

Alex. Smith, a homeless and apparently friendless man, about 45 years of age, died early this morning in the Ladd House, a cheap lodging house on Middlesex street, consumption evidently having caused his death.

Smith once worked in the Hamilton Dye House but misfortune overtook him and last year found him a sort of janitor at the Ladd House, where he died. Some time in June, he suddenly left Lowell and no more was heard of him until a few months ago, when he wrote a letter dated at Brattleboro, Vt., to Mrs. Ladd in which he gave evidence of great despondency.

On Saturday, he made his appearance at Mrs. Ladd's and being in a terrible physical condition was given a bed on the lower floor, the 10-cent apartments, for he was unable to walk upstairs.

Yesterday, Mrs. Ladd advised him to allow her to get the ambulance to remove him to the hospital, but Smith asked her to wait until today.

He then grew rapidly worse and died this morning. His body gives evidence of long illness and exposure.

Nothing is known of Smith except that he was a widower and is supposed to have a daughter living.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department took charge of the remains.

DEATHS.

WALSH—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Walsh, the former the popular pressman at the J. C. Ayer Co., will be pained to hear of the sudden death of their oldest child, Lawrence W. Walsh, aged seven years, who died of scarlet fever last evening, after an illness of only two days. Owing to the nature of the case, the remains were interred early this morning in the Catholic cemetery. The death and its surrounding circumstances are particularly sad, as the family moved here from Medford Hillside but a few weeks ago.

FARR—Royal Edward Farr died yesterday at the home of his parents, William and Mattie Farr, 57 Andrew street, aged one month and eighteen days.

McLAUGHLIN—The death of Miss Carrie McLaughlin, which occurred Sunday at No. 56 Blossom street, is a sad affliction. She was 23 years of age and the daughter of John A. and Susan McLaughlin. Her father and one brother survive her. Her mother died a few years ago. Her home was at No. 50 Merrimack corporation.

McCUE—Miss Eliza J. McCue, aged 30 years, died Saturday night at her home, 223 Cross street. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters.

HOWARTH—Miss Susanna Howarth wife of Eli Howarth, died Saturday at her home, 99 Adams street, aged 43 years.

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from a famous manufacturer between a thousand and twelve hundred Boys' Blouses, all in handsome patterns and made with Woven Cheviots or Garner Percales. The price paid for the lot was far below the actual value of the goods. We shall give you the benefit of our low offer and cash purchase.

17c for Boys' Woven Cheviot Blouses.

Neat patterns in stripes and checks, medium and dark colors; sizes 8 years to 14; real value 25 cents.

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Percale Blouses, sizes 8 years to 14. Made from new patterns in light grounds, reds and blues; real value 35 cents.

38c for Boys' Best

Garner Percale Blouses, light ground, red light blue and navy grounds; are printed from French designs; sizes 3 years to 14; real value 50 cents.

23 Cents.

for Fauntleroy Blouses; sizes 3 years to 10; deep ruffled collar, front and cuffs; Garner Percales in new designs; real value 35 cents.

38 Cents

for Fauntleroy Blouses; sizes 3 years to 10; French designs on light, bright red, light blue and navy grounds, real value 50 cents.

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LOSS OF $10,000

Caused by Fire In B. F. Keith's House.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., May 27—The entire fire department of the town was called out this forenoon for a blaze in the residence of B. F. Keith in Ford's Place. The fire started from a small blow lamp which was being used by painters on the roof to burn away old paint. The lamp was set down for a moment and when the men returned a portion of the roof was ablaze. The property was purchased by Mr. Keith about two weeks ago and is valued at about $20,000. At 9.30 o'clock the fire was burning fiercely and several surrounding buildings were endangered.

The interior of the house was destroyed and the walls were badly damaged. Some of the furniture which was in the building was removed. Mr. Keith places his loss at $10,000. There is $17,450 insurance on the property.

WORK ABANDONED

At Government Docks in Charlestown

ON ACCOUNT OF SEAWORM PEST.

The Worms Eat up all the Submerged Wood.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27—Boston harbor has been invaded by a destructive seaworm one of the teredo type, the evidences of which are only to be seen in the lower harbor, but which is rapidly multiplying and extending its operations towards the upper harbor, threatening the wharves along the water front.

In fact, so rapid are its inroads that a quay wall which was to have been built at the Charlestown navy yard in connection with the extension of the water front has been abandoned because of this destructive worm, which when numerous, makes short work of any unprotected submerged wood.

Information as to the presence of the worm in these waters was conveyed to the U. S. naval authorities by both the harbor and land commissioners and the U. S engineers.

The harbor has been exceptionally free from the presence and inroads of this destructive worm, or any of its numerous species, which have created vast havoc in many of the southern harbors, and where every improvement has to figure with them as one of the most important features.

The cause assigned for the absence of the pests in the past and their presence now is quite interesting.

The fact that in years past the city's sewage which flowed into the harbor is stated to have kept them away, whereas now the city's sewage being deposited directly quite a distance out has invited their return.

Evidences of the pest were discovered last year in the lower harbor, and the worms did considerable damage at the state work on the Commonwealth flats, boring through the temporary bulkhead and allowing filling to wash out.

SMITH'S PICTURE

RECEIVED BY POSTMASTER ROWELL OF AMESBURY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

AMESBURY, Mass., May 27.—Postmaster Rowell has received a letter and picture from a woman in New York state, who claims to be a sister of R. J. Smith, the eccentric old man who died here a few months ago, and whose unique preparations for the disposal of his body in a vault built by his own direction, excited considerable comment.

The picture received by Mr. Rowell is said by those who knew Mr. Smith in early life to be a correct likeness of him. Mr. Smith left real estate and personal property amounting to $5,000.

TWO MEN HANGED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 25.—Wasyl Guszczak and Simon Czaby, two Galicians who murdered Wasyl Dojeczko and his four children at Stuartburn, last October, were executed here this morning on the same scaffold. The drop fell at 8 o'clock.

"Two Heads Are Better Than One.

One, however, is the portion allotted to the average mortal. If this one aches and will not work properly, it is worse than none. Then the stomach is blamed, or the kidneys and liver are censured. But as a fact, the blood is solely responsible for the condition of these organs. Purify it and they will be made healthy.

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RAILROAD BLAMED

For the Terrible Accident at Exeter.

Jury Found the Road Neglected Many Important Duties and Failed to Provide Tests.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., May 27.—The Norristown and Pottstown juries which have been jointly investigating the cause of the fatal wreck on the Reading railroad at Exeter, today rendered a verdict holding the Reading railroad company primarily responsible for the accident which occurred two weeks ago and resulted in the loss of 29 lives and injuries to over fifty persons.

The court held that the accident was due to the following causes:

Having never established a modern and adequate system of communication between signal stations and the main one. Despatching trains at too short intervals. Failing to provide a sight and color test at least once a year for employes required to distinguish colors on signal boards at a distance. The failure to require signal tower men and crossing watchmen to have accurate time pieces.

The jury also finds that mistakes were made by employes of the company concerned in the running of both sections of train No. 12, on the night of the accident, but they were insufficient to have caused the collision, had a proper system of signals been in use.

WRESTLED A DRAW

Champion Little Was up Against It.

AND QUIT AFTER AN HOUR.

The Brockton Man Wanted Everything.

Another crowd of out-of-town sports has come to Lowell under the impression that it was dealing with a lot of unsophisticated "haymakers" and another crowd has gone away sorely disappointed at what it found and squealing hard over it before going.

Such was the state of affairs at the Natone Athletic club Friday night when John J. Little, the so-called champion of New England at light weight wrestling went up against Dick Casey of this city, whom he called an old man a few weeks ago, got all the wrestling he wanted and a little more and then quit and made a number of speeches.

When a man is champion of his class, much is expected, but the only good thing Little did was to save his friends' money.

When Casey and Little were matched a few weeks ago they agreed in their articles to agree upon a referee the night of the match. Little wanted everything done along certain lines. He didn't want any newspaper to hold the stakes for a starter. Then when it came to the selection of the referee, there were only two men whom he would consider for that position, Tom Killcoyne of Lawrence, whom he wanted and Callahan of Lawrence, whom he wouldn't accept because Callahan was a friend of Horton's and Horton who is a Lawrence wrestler was in Casey's corner. Casey suggested tossing up a coin for one of the two. Others suggested Moran of Lynn, Luke Walsh and Tom Kelliher of this city and several others but Little wouldn't play.

Casey finally, not wishing to disappoint the 500 spectators present agreed to Killcoyne but withdrew the stake money and stated that if the contest went against him he would not acknowledge the defeat.

When the men came into the ring at 8.30 Announcer Sternberg stated the facts whereupon Little rendered a speech about Callahan.

There was quite a crowd of Brockton sports present, betting all kinds of money on Little, but the Lowell takers were few having heard of the row over the referee.

Under ordinary circumstances Casey's followers would have sent them home in cattle cars had Dick won out.

Casey weighed 152 and was seconded by Horton of Lawrence, while Little was seconded by his brother, Jim Little and Billy Mason of Brockton. Fred Blanchard of Brockton held the watch.

At 8.55 they started in with neck holds and after 51 minutes on the carpet they were back at neck holds again. For the first 11 minutes Casey was the underdog and the Brockton men were full of talk as Little tried hold after hold without success. Little got Casey over a little and tried to lift him while the Brockton people yelled "There he goes!" but Dick wriggled out of it and was back on his knees in a moment. Then another shift and Little was underneath and the Lowell crowd applauded. Then Casey went at it and getting a neck and shoulder grip got Little over on one shoulder for an instant but couldn't get the other, though he came near it and right then the Brockton sports came to a painful realization that their champion was up against it and immediately they became as mute as oysters and remained that way the remainder of the evening. Dick, a few minutes later missed a flying fall but didn't lose his advantageous position, whereat a man, a little Englishman, away up in a corner, yelled: "Oh, 'E's a champion, Dick, 'E's a champion."

Casey, hearing it, raised his head and laughingly said: "Yes, he's a champion all right" and Little, putting his head out toward his seconds, said: "I never posed as a champion."

After about 15 minutes' hard work, the men changed positions and Casey got a pretty half Nelson on Little but couldn't hold it long enough as both were beginning to get slippery. Then they reversed holds and Casey again got the advantage and both began to perspire in rivers, becoming as slippery as eels. When 43 minutes were up, they paused to take a drink and then went at it again, and stayed on neck holds, both very wary on account of the difficulty in getting a grip because of their wet bodies. When 53 minutes and 36 seconds were up, Little suggested calling it off and a draw, and Casey agreed.

The announcement of a draw was received with hisses and cries of "You're a quitter." This caused Little to make another speech in the course of which he [illegible] some of those who hissed him to come in and give him a go.

Casey then challenged Little for $500 a side. "You'll have to come to Brockton!" cried Little's brother.

James Gilligan of Lawrence then put a $25 forfeit for a match with either, Little preferred. Little's brother stated that under no circumstances would Little wrestle Gilligan.

The latter then said: "He's the champion, and my money is as good as any one else's."

Immediately Little, the wrestler, jumped into the ring and denounced Gilligan on some money transaction and Gilligan returned the compliment and the ring was cleared.

It was the general opinion that had the men continued, Casey would have won.

THE DREYFUS CASE

A Revision of the Trial is Favored.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, May 27.— Early this afternoon it was rumored that the president of the civil section of the court of cassation, M. Ballot de Beaupre, had reported to the president of the court of cassation, M. Mazeau, in favor of a revision of the Dreyfus trial and resending the prisoner before a court-martial.

The rumor, later in the day, was confirmed by a direct statement that the president of the civil section had so reported to the president of the court of cassation.

From the president of the court of cassation, the Dreyfus report will pass into the hands of the Procureur-General, M. Manau.

It is believed that the report is practically certain to be accepted by the court of cassation, and means that Dreyfus will be brought back to France and re-tried.

STRUCK BY AN ELECTRIC.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BROCKTON, Mass. May 27.—Charles W. Nickerson, an expressman, was struck by an electric car of the Boston & Quincy line at Holbrook last night and severely injured. His right leg was amputated at the Brockton hospital this morning.

UNKNOWN WOMAN

KILLED BY ELECTRIC CAR IN BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—An unknown woman, apparently about 65 years old, was instantly killed by an electric car at the corner of Bunker Hill and Bates streets in the Charlestown district this morning. Leroy Bowman, the motorman of the car, was arrested, and the body was given into the care of an undertaker, pending an autopsy.

SAW MILL BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERVILLE, Me., May 27.—Friday noon the old steam saw mill of West Sidney, owned and operated by J. P. Bullard, was burned with considerable lumber. The fire caught in the boiler room at a time when a crew of men were at work in the shingle room, but they were helpless in saving the property, which was completely destroyed, at an estimated loss of $3000. No insurance.

INVITATION TO HARRISON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, May 27.—President Loubet has invited former President Benjamin Harrison and Mrs. Harrison to a parliamentary dinner, which is to take place on Monday next.

PEABODY MANUFACTURING CO.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER Mass, May 27.—The Peabody Manufacturing company was incorporated here today. Seth A. Borden is treasurer and the board of directors is the same as that of the Parker mills of this city, now building a factory at Warren, R. I. The Peabody company recently purchased a large mill at Newburyport, Mass., and is capitalized at $60,000, the purchase price.

TWENTY HOUSES BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PORT AU PRINCE, May 26.—Twenty houses have been destroyed by fire here. Two firemen were injured while combatting the conflagration.

ALLEGED ASSAILANTS ARRAIGNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GREENWICH, Conn., May 27.—The five men, William Smith, Wilbur Adams, Clarence Green, Fred McCann and Peter Golden, held on a charge alleging murder in the first degree, in having caused the death of S. Jackson Close, the aged postmaster of the village of Stanwich, were in the borough court here this morning. At the request of the state, however, the cases were continued until Monday, without the taking of any testimony.

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Work and drudge!
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Haven't time to be sick. Tired and ailing but can't stop work.

Stop long enough to remember that all there is in life is forfeited when health goes. Pay attention to early symptoms and write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for advice.

Mrs. Evelyn Wood, 518 Fulton Street, Peoria, Ill., writes:

"I wish to say to my suffering sisters that if they want to be free from those dreadful diseases with which women are so apt to be afflicted, take Mrs. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered for four years. My troubles were leucorrhœa and irregular menstruation. The menses appeared too often, and lasted too long. I became very poor, looked badly, had no appetite. I felt as though death would be a relief. My friends advised me to take more out-of-door exercise, but hardly realized that I was too weak to go out. I resolved to try Mrs. Pinkham's medicines, and after taking several bottles of Compound, also used the Liver Pills and Sanative Wash, I can truly say I am enjoying a new life. Menses have become regular, and last the proper length of time. I feel better than I have for ten years. I praise your medicine to all my friends. If any one would like to write to me in regard to your Vegetable Compound, and what it has done for me, I will gladly answer their letter."

Mrs. S. Barnhart, New Castle, Pa., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: I intended to have written to you before, but since my recovery I have been very busy. I had been sick ever since my marriage, seven years ago; have given birth to seven children, and had two miscarriages. I had falling of womb, leucorrhœa, pains in back and legs; dyspepsia and a nervous trembling of the stomach. Now I have none of these troubles and can enjoy my life. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has worked wonders for me."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will surely aid suffering women and the sympathetic advice of Mrs. Pinkham is always promptly forthcoming on request.

Mrs. Bradish's Happy Letter.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—About two years ago I began to run down and soon became almost a wreck. I lost my appetite and began to lose flesh; my blood was impoverished and I had to leave our store. The doctor gave me a little tonic, but I steadily grew worse and consulted another doctor. He helped me in some ways, but my headaches continued, and I began to have night sweats and my rest was so disturbed that I would have hysteria and would cry and worry over business matters and my poor health. Finally, husband took me South, but with no benefit. This was a year ago; no one can ever know what a winter of misery I spent. Would bloat after eating and was troubled with palpitation of heart and whites. Having read by happy chance of your medicine, I bought it and wrote for your advice, and before having finished the first bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the hysterics nearly stopped and I slept soundly. I used seven or eight bottles with such benefit that I am as healthy as I can ever remember of being. I shall never cease to sound your praises."—Mrs. E. M. Bradish, 179 Dix Av., Detroit, Mich.

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FINAL MUSTER OUT.

(Continued.)

nation and with others ranks as a benefactor. But there is no more honor due to him than to the others who shared the perils of the war but were saved and came home to aid us in this sacred service.

Several lessons suggest themselves to me as the result of that struggle brief though it was. This soldier had a part in the struggle for the nation's honor and it was never mine to lift my voice with "Remember the Maine." I believe that never again will there be such a tragedy as that which was enacted in the harbor of Havana. The world had not then learned to give due respect to this country and to its valor. Hereafter American honor will be more respected and the principles for which America stands will be respected more because the world has found out that American institutions can produce that which the world has never before produced. This man's life was given for human liberty that others might possess that which you found of worth. Those for whom you struggled may hardly seem to be worth it and I can't help feeling that lives like this and the lives of Ruckledge and Bellamy and others were too precious to be given for every one. Yet here comes in a sublime lesson of the gospel. We are growing into it and we are better because of it. We may feel that the price was too great for the freedom of these people, yet you have started them on a career and a future is before them. They are all human and I believe the time will come when you will feel that the purchase price was not too great. Don't expect too much of them now. Give them time.

The man who has a cause and has his heart in that cause will never know defeat. You have proven what a fraternity of arms can do.

Another lesson is the unification of our great country. There was the north and south, but the daring of Ensign Bagley, the bravery of Hobson, the brilliancy of Dewey and the dashing chivalry of Roosevelt and Gen. Joe Wheeler has cemented the union. It has established the efficacy of the citizen soldier, that the man can leave the workshop, the bench and the farm, like the minute men of old, and win such victories as have not been eclipsed.

Here before me I see the fraternity to which this young man belonged and indicating the spirit of fellowship that was in his heart. He recognized fraternity, fellowship and brotherhood, and we have them here. We have learned to love this soldier in church. He was faithful and earnest and willing and bore his burden in the church from love of God. So you have all gathered here to pay tribute to him who hears not your words and who did his duty as he understood it. Bring on the flowers and emblems of suffering and the white, the emblem of the resurrection and with a grateful people bend them above the noble head. A land worth dying for is a land worth living for."

The service then came to a close with a fervent prayer by Rev. Mr. Ford, followed by the rendition of the hymn, "Good Night."

All in the church were then given an opportunity to gaze upon the face of the deceased, all passing in front of the pulpit platform where the casket rested with a pillow at one end with the inscription in blue immortelles "Brother" and at the other end a large cross and anchor and a bunch of lilies of the valley.

The face showed full well the traces of the intense suffering the deceased had undergone and as he lay in the cold embrace of death, he was a mere shadow of his former self. As the body was being taken from the church, the band performed a prayer by Kreutzer. At 4 o'clock in a sudden downpour of rain, the remains were escorted from the church and the procession in the following order made its way to the Edson cemetery via Central and Gorham streets:

Lowell Military band, 25 pieces.

Company M, Capt. Mitten in command.

Company G, (without arms) Capt. Carr in command.

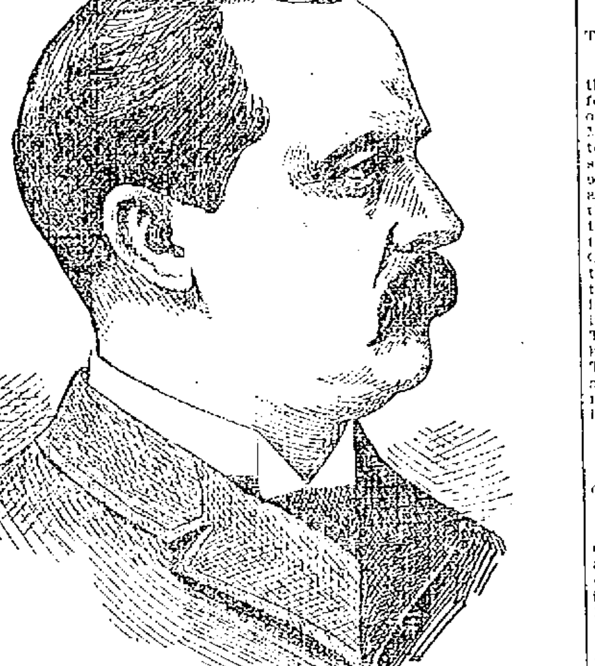
Company C (without arms) Lieutenant Livingston in command.

Hearse flanked by bearers.

Mourners in carriages.

Members of United States volunteers.

Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., S. W. Billings, marshal; aids, James Dawson, John Usher and W. H. Rigby.



REV. SMITH T. FORD, Who Delivered the Eulogy at the Funeral of Private Aldrich Yesterday.

AT THE GRAVE.

At the cemetery, the Odd Fellows' ritual was performed by Chaplain John Orrell of Wamesit lodge and the band played "The Vacant Chair." Taps were sounded by Bugler William Jacques and the responses were from the woods in the distance by Bugler Frances Riggs. Then the following squad fired the volleys over the grave: Corporal Fischer, Privates Baker, Goodwin, Caldwell, Chase, Dane, Keville and Borden.

Among the occupants of carriages were Major and Mrs. Alexander Greig, Jr.

The active bearers were the following members of Co. G: Sergts. Geo. McNamara, Fred C. M. Silk, Pearl Durrell and Caldwell, Corps. Murdock McKinnon, Daniel Hayes, Fred Hunton and French. The honorary pallbearers were the following members of Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U.: Isaac Tinker, John Barnes, E. J. Otley, Henry Eames, Frank Bailey, William H. Walsh, William Gale, and John A. Lynn.

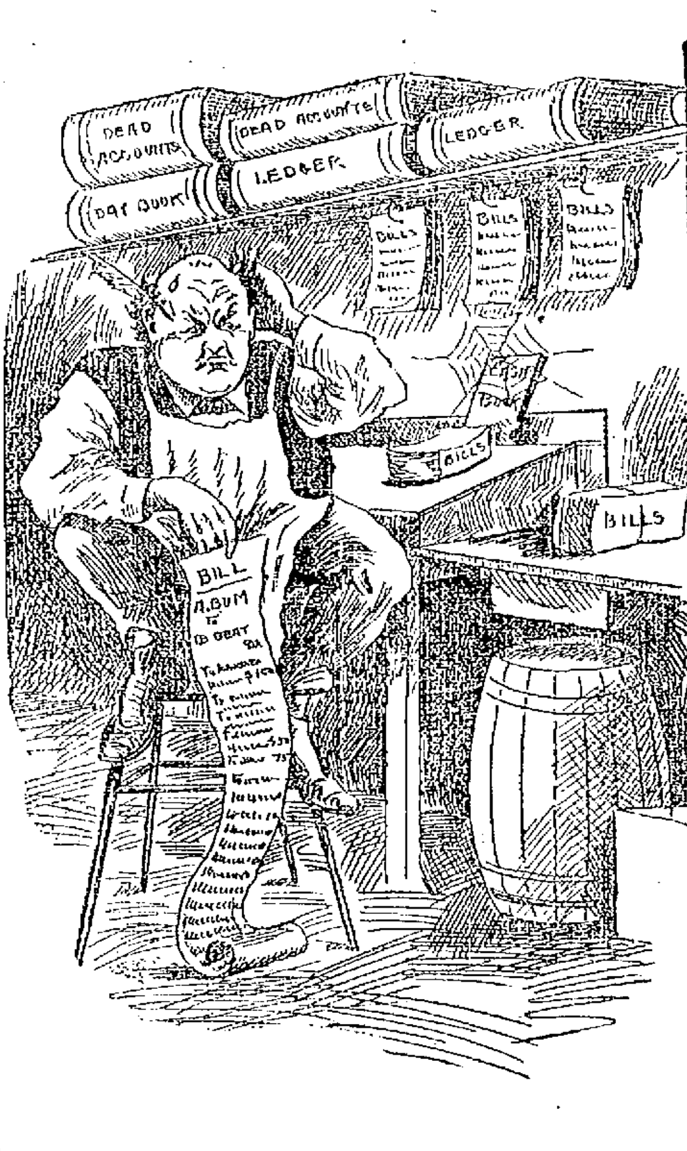
THE FLOWERS.

There was a wealth of floral tributes all costly and beautiful, among which were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "G. U. S. V." and another "G. M. V. M." from those organizations respectively; anchor, Elrene lodge, I. O. G. T.; three links, Wamesit lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U.; pillow inscribed "Son and Brother," members of the family; spray of links, George A. Carter; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whittaker; lilies of the valley, Mrs. A. Kendall; spray of pinks, Mrs. Phelps; standing cross, Y. P. S. C. E., of First Baptist church; wreath, Mrs. Leith, Mrs. Stoneham and Mrs. Henry; mound inscribed "Our Friend," from friends; bouquet, Robert W. Mountford; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kappler; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stevens; white roses, the Misses Herrick; carnations, Miss Mary E. Adams; spray of stocks, Mr. and Mrs. Dean; spray of roses, Miss Beth Worthley; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Durant and family; spray of stocks, Miss Cummings; cross and crown, employes of W. H. Brown's grocery and friends; spray of pinks, Mrs. Herbert C. Bellamy; standing cross, ushers of the First Baptist church; mound with dove, Fay Aldrich and Miss Amie Aldrich; large wreath from Lowell Branch Volunteer Aid association; large star, library of the First Baptist church; spray of pinks, S. H. Davis; spray of pinks, Frank W. Brault and Miss Emma Chapman; spray of stocks, Mrs. Clark; spray of stocks and tulips, Miss Amy Stewart; anchor, Mr. and Mrs. McCarley and Murdock McCarley; spray of pinks, Frank and Jennie.

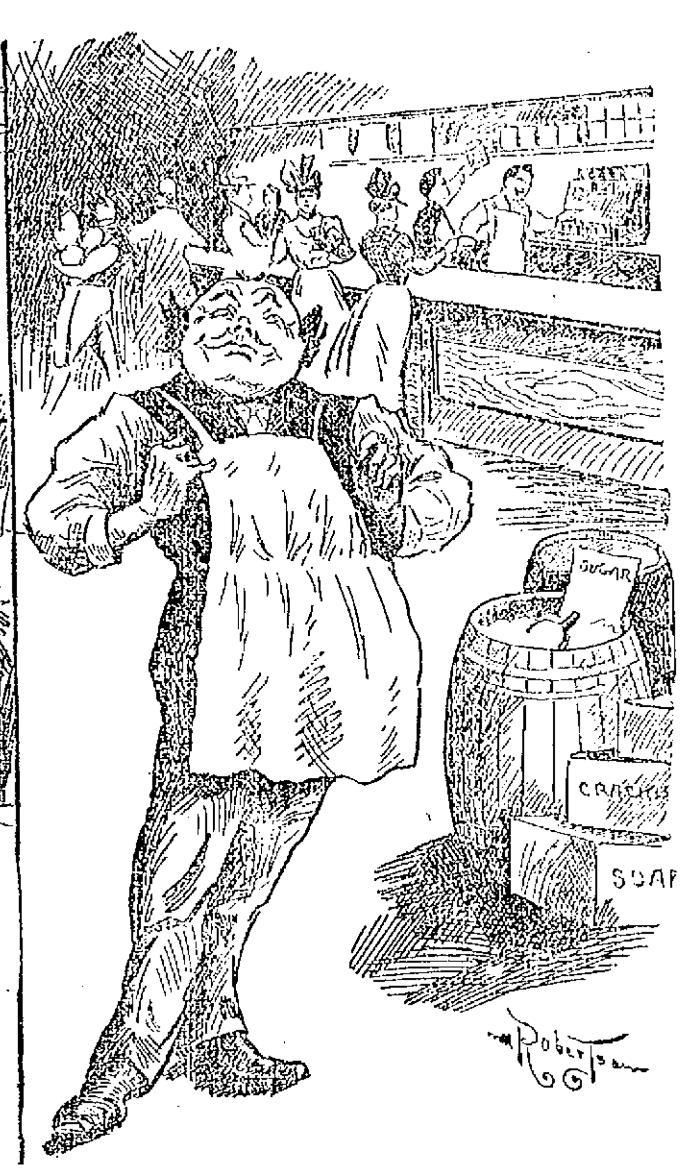
Undertaker Brooks had charge of the burial and Capt. Carr, general charge of the funeral arrangements.

Blow, bugles of sorrow, blow, taps of the night;
Blow sweetly, blow softly as wavelets of light.
Beside the tomb's portal lies splintered pride's lance,
Rust cankers the sword of the meteor glance.
The eagle whose wing could defeat to earth dash,
As he soared 'mid the battlecloud's thunder and flash,
O'er the carnage that seethed;
To gaze with full eye upon victory's sun,
An arrow doth smite
From his glory-lit light;
The lord of the fight
By death is undone.

THE RESULTS OF NO-LICENSE.



HOW IT USED TO BE WITH THE GROCER.



HOW IT IS WITH THE GROCER TODAY.

In license time, the grocer found it difficult to collect his bills. "What can I do?" he used to say. "They'll spend their money for booze and have nothing left for the poor grocer. I CANNOT refuse them food for the family while I am in business. People would call me heartless. The only thing left for me is to go out business. I am losing money every day. When, oh when will the bums and the soaks pay their grocery bills?"

"Well, well, if this isn't prosperity, I would like to know what is! Why, I have so much trade now that I hire help to do the work while I do the heavy looking on. I have burned my ledgers and bought a cash register. They pay cash now and I'm making money. License may be good enough for some people, but no-license is good enough for me."

THE BON MARCHE IN TAUNTON.

Lowell people will be interested in the success of Mr. John A. O'Hearn, formerly of Lowell but now manager of Taunton's new enterprise, The Bon Marche. It is a howling success. Taunton's citizens, big and little, great and small, rich and poor, are enthusiastic over what is locally known in Taunton as the New Fairyland, and the old-time methods and merchants of Taunton are entirely superseded by the enterprise of Mitchell and his man O'Hearn. The general management of this store is along the same lines as those of the parent house in Lowell. It is said that the enthusiasm in Lowell is nothing in comparison to that in Taunton. It is no uncommon thing to have the most prominent citizens of Taunton tell the new comers that they are glad they came to wake the business people and show them how to do business in an up-to-date manner.

ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE R. R. DIRECTORS.

At the annual meeting of the Manchester and Lawrence railroad, held at the Amoskeag bank, Manchester, officers were elected as follows: President, John W. Sanborn; Clerk, George H. Chandler; directors, Calvin Page of Portsmouth and Eugene P. Carver of Brookline, Mass. Mr. Sanborn takes the place made vacant by the death of Charles A. Sinclair of Portsmouth, while Mr. Page succeeds him in the directorate. Mr. Carver succeeds Amos N. Blandin of Bath.

The Manchester and Lawrence was incorporated in 1847 and owns a half line from Manchester to the Massachusetts line, 22.57 miles. According to the report of the railroad commissioners for 1898, there was held in New Hampshire [illegible] of the capital stock authorized by charter and by company of $1,000,000. For the year ending June 30, 1898, it received as income from the lease of its road to the Boston and Maine $162,000, and a total income of $163,259.50, including income from 12 shares of Mt. Washington railroad stock and 167 2-5 shares of Suncook Valley. The incorporation holds $274,298.53 worth of land in Manchester.

Keep your eyes open for O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. It will pay you.

DR. WILLIAMS'
PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE
Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere. 50 cents per box—six for $2.50.
DR. WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Schenectady, N. Y.

WEAK CHILDREN.

Growing Boys and Girls Need an Invigorating Tonic.

Vinol Will be Found to be The Best Thing in the World for them.

This Delicious Builder-up is Enjoyed by the Children.

Vinol Gives Vigor and Strength to the Mind as well as the Body.

We Guarantee that Vinol is Harmless and Especially Good for Weak and Growing Children.

Try It, and if You Are Not Satisfied, We Will Give You Back Your Money.

If your boy or girl does not thrive as he orshe should, you may make up your mind they are out-growing their strength. If you notice that your boy does not play with the other boys and enjoy himself as is the nature of a boy, you had better make up your mind that his health is not what it should be.

Growing children need careful attention. They need proper food, well cooked, and plenty of it, but above all, they need some one to watch them, and be sure that this same food is properly digested, and accomplishes the results that it should.

This is one reason why Vinol, Wine of Cod Liver Oil, is the most invaluable of all tonics known to medical science. Vinol helps the stomach to more easily digest everything that is taken into it. Vinol helps the stomach get for itself all the nourishment that is possible from the food that is eaten. The consequence is that the renewal of flesh tissue is increased, the blood is kept pure and healthy, the nerves are invigorated and made strong, and the growing boy or girl is given the material that the body needs to develop and grow into strong, sound, healthy men and women.

MRS. GEORGE M. BENEDICT, of 21 Down Street, Danbury, Conn., who is the wife of Dr. John H. Benedict, one of Danbury's oldest and best-known physicians, writes us as follows: "I must express to you the satisfaction I have taken in administering Vinol to a poor boy in my household. He had outgrown his strength. He has taken it with none of the revulsion which he felt for cod liver oil. It is doing him a wonderful amount of good."

If you will but come to our store we will prove to you that Vinol, though it does contain the active curative principles which have made cod liver oil famous, is positively free from fat, grease, or any objectionable feature. On the contrary, it is most delicious and appetizing. Also remember that we sell Vinol under a guarantee, and will return the money that you pay us if you do not find Vinol accomplishes all we claim for it.

ELLINGWOOD & CO.,
Pharmacists,
Barristers Hall, Merrimac, Cor. Central St. and 265 Central Cor. Middlesex St.

WITH THE POLICE

Many Arrests Made Saturday Night.

THE DRACUT ROAD FURNISHED SEVERAL

And Others Were From Lawrence Cars.

The police now find that much of the drunkenness seen in Lowell comes not from Nashua, N. H., as was supposed but from road houses and even plain farmers' houses along the car line between the cities. There are several of these places it is said, beyond Lakeview and Nashua, though most of them being beyond the state line are beyond the jurisdiction of the Lowell & Dracut police.

Car conductors state that so frequent are the stops made at houses of this kind that it is impossible for them to make scheduled time between Lowell and Nashua. The bigger crowd took the Nashua cars Saturday and Lawrence, while not deserted, did not begin to be the busy place that it was a few weeks ago.

About one week ago, Selectman Stevens of Dracut visited the local police to see if he could arrange with them to assist the Dracut police in gathering in the bums who were then beginning to congregate in large numbers about the town. He procured a key to the patrol box nearest the Dracut line and made an agreement about settling for drunks taken from Dracut in the patrol wagon after car hours.

Then to complete the job, the Dracut selectmen appointed several special officers and were thus prepared for any emergency that might arise.

The emergency appears to have arisen on Saturday night when a large number of drunks went into the town, over the line and proceeded to disturb the peace of the inhabitants. Some of them, it is said, were not very drunk, but however they were, 10 of them were gathered in and taken to Lowell, the police officers officiating being: Selectman George H. Stevens, C. Frank Scott, J. T. Crawford, Peter Donohue, Elisha Gordon, George Tucker and Fred P. Vinal.

Officers under Captain Kew, Lieut. Brosnan and Sergeant Downey went as far out as the Nashua line and boarded Nashua cars at Aiken street and Lawrence cars at First street. There were six drunks taken from the cars.

There were eight other Lowell drunks taken in, making a "grand" total of 24 drunks. The bail commissioners made quite a haul, a majority of the drunks being working men with a few dollars behind them.

Supt. Davis and the liquor inspectors were out from 6 p. m. until midnight last night.

It is evident that Chief of Police Lynch of Tewksbury and his worthy lieutenant, Officer Pringle sit all night on Saturdays for the last couple of Sunday mornings shortly after midnight he has pounced down upon unfortunate fishermen who failed to desist on the Sabbath. Yesterday he took in Jules Lecouture, Frank Lecouture and Leon Dresveden for alleged Sunday fishing.

Marie Shenley was arrested on Saturday night for alleged assault and battery on a Mrs. Hartley on Market street.

Quite a number of drunks infested Lakeview on Sunday and as a result in addition to the ten gathered in on Saturday night, about ten more were taken in yesterday.

WALKING SPEAK-EASY.

Officers Boyle and Ryan made a good haul last night when they took in what appears to be a couple of perambulating speak-easies.

Officer Boyle discovered them first in the alley between Worthen and Dutton and Broadway and Market streets. He first noted the man on guard at the Broadway end of the alley and as he did so, he saw two men dropping bottles in the alley. He released his prisoner and with the assistance of Officer Ryan caught the two men.

At the station, the men gave their names as Henry St. George and John Rainville. Eight quart bottles, all but one of which were open were found on them and about 20 empty bottles were found in the alley.

Later, the officers searched the room occupied by the men on Dutton street and found there a lot of bottles of all sizes, a drawer full of cork stoppers of all sizes, a small tin funnel and a whiskey glass. The bottles all had a teaspoonful or more of whiskey in them. It is said that the men only moved in on Saturday night. The police believe that these men are a part of a gang of pocket speak-easy workers.

Something is going to happen this week. Watch O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

COUNTRY CLUB LINKS.

The golf links of the Vesper Country club which will be formally opened on May 30 are to be second to none in this country.

Several improvements have been made by the executive committee at the island for the comfort and convenience of the members. For those going by electric cars a new ferry, running on a wire cable, safe and capable of carrying forty people, with landings on both sides of the river, has been put in. A new French range has been placed in the kitchen, and with additional help the restaurant is now ready to accommodate all parties.

TWO SAILORS LOST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 28.—A dispatch received here this afternoon from Captain W. H. Thomas of the schooner Harris D. Parker dated Lunenburg, N. S., states that on May 15 two members of the crew, John Thomas and Lawrence Smith, were lost. Both men were well known here.

ROMAN SOCIALIST NOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 28.—According to a special dispatch from Rome, published today the scenes witnessed Friday in the Italian Chamber of Deputies, were repeated yesterday. General Pelloux, the premier, denounced the Socialist attacks on the army and wild turmoil ensued. The Rightists rose and dashed at the Socialists, hitting and kicking, the session was suspended and the chamber was cleared by the officials. The situation, it is added, is "regarded as grave."

SNOW BLOCK CLEARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEADVILLE, Col., May 27.—After a snow blockade lasting for four months and which was by far the longest in the history of railroading in Colorado, the South Park line has been opened and a train reached here from Denver. The South Park officials announce that from now on trains will be running regularly.

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.
MERRIMACK, PALMER AND MIDDLE STREETS.

An Important Event.

Particulars to be Announced in Wednesday's Papers.

We are forced by circumstances over which we have no control, to inaugurate this week a

Gigantic Mark Down Sale

Of our entire stock of merchandise consisting of Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Men and Women's Furnishings, Carpets, Furniture, Crockery and Kitchen Furnishings, comprising about $150,000 worth, to be offered without reserve, and sold at prices that will average from 55c to 65c on the dollar.

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THE SUN has a larger circulation than any two other papers printed in Lowell.

It is in every respect
LOWELL'S
GREATEST
NEWSPAPER

Rosa Bonheur, the world's greatest painter of animal life is dead, but the "Horse Fair," her great masterpiece, purchased by A. T. Stewart for $20,000, still lives.

The national democratic committee has outlined the platform for 1900 and the anti-trust plank will be the leading feature. During the next campaign it will be clearly shown by the democratic leaders how the trusts can be suppressed by congress. They will be deprived of the protection under which they have attained such a menacing prominence at the present time.

The kidnapping of little Marion Clark in New York has caused a great deal of excitement and one of the strangest charges in connection with the occurrence is, that the police suspect some newspaper writer for taking the child with the intention of getting a "scoop" on its discovery or else demanding a ransom for its restoration to the parents. In either case the kidnapper will have to play a very risky game and the newspapers of New York are doing their level best in aiding the police to solve the mystery. Already some of the newspapers have offered a large reward for the recovery of the child but without avail, still the police say that they have clues which may prove effective, although they are likely to prove the reverse.

General MacArthur's plan of enlisting a tribe of the Filipinos to fight another is not original with him. It is the plan which England has used for centuries and it is truly imperial in its effect. When England has not cared to shed any blood in subjugating a people whose territory she coveted, she frequently set them to fight one another and would help each side alternately, so that the fight became almost interminable until she stepped in in the name of civilization and made peace by reducing both to submission and ruling them permanently thereafter. Of course, the United States has a right to adopt all kinds of oppression or to copy such tactics if it sees fit, and the plain people have a right to their opinion of these methods of warfare without running the risk of being charged with treason if they happen to express their opinions.

BOYS CLUB MOVEMENT.

A representative of the National Work for street boys is in Lowell, organizing a movement for the establishment of a street boys' club in this city. These clubs have been organized in various cities throughout New England, notably in Fall River, Holyoke, New Haven, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Worcester, Lynn, Springfield and several other cities, with the most satisfactory results. The plan is to establish first, a club with temporary quarters, providing attractions for the boys between the ages of seven and fourteen years. Then to make the movement so popular that citizens will contribute to the erection of a suitable building for the boys' club. The city of Fall River has a boys' club building, equal in size to one of our grammar school buildings and it is run at an expense of about $1,500 a year. The boys are provided with comfortable quarters with facilities for baths, athletic exercises, games, suitable reading matter and occasional lectures or in some cases manual training and instruction in the elementary branch s.

The boys flocked to the club house and in a short time acquired habits of industry and courtesy with manners calculated to bring them recognition by employers later on.

So far as the movement has gone, it has been entirely successful and the value of the benefits derived by the boys is incalculable. Instead of being around the streets contracting habits of vice, they are learning something useful and are surrounded by the best influences possible at the club quarters. For newsboys, the boys' clubs are especially useful, while there are many gamins brought up in uninviting quarters who can hardly be kept in their homes evenings, but who will spend their time on the streets, generally under the influence of temptation, unless they are led into a club of this kind. So far as Lowell is concerned, a club of this kind has a good field to work in, although the boys are not the worst in the world, yet many of them are seen on the streets at a late hour without any visible business and apparently with no care as to when they return to their homes or whether they return at all. In fact, they seem to be their own masters. It is just such boys who lapse into criminal habits and eventually land in the penitentiary.

The clubs are, so far as they can be, strictly secular in character, so that there is no attempt of proselytizing, thus offering inducements to all denominations without distinction. Were it otherwise, the boys' club movement would be a complete failure and would be stamped out immediately.

Many boys who have not the advantage of home training and who receive little consideration in school can benefit by the training in the boys' club to a greater extent than is generally supposed. Thus far, the organizer in this city has received promises of liberal support and it is to be hoped that the affair will be quite as successful here as it has been in other cities.

A QUESTION OF PUBLIC UTILITY OR INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCE.

The street committee, regardless of public opinion has voted to have more asphaltina paving. In this there is no competition, no shaving of prices. This method of letting out city work is not approved. It is not business-like; it affords an easy method of defrauding the city and places every man who favors it under suspicion. It is an abuse that should be stopped. Another point to be considered in connection with the case is that the streets which the committee would have smooth-paved are close to the residences of prominent members of the committee, not the streets which public necessity would suggest. Of what use will it be to the city to smooth-pave Mammoth Road? Would it not be better to smooth-pave some street in the heart of the city where the traffic is 500 per cent. greater than on the Mammoth Road?

If the streets close to the residences of the committee are to be paved in preference to all others and regardless of public necessity, it is time the public should recognize the fact. If that rule prevails, it may be necessary next year to select aldermen from the streets which are in the greatest need of repairs.

General Taylor, in his lecture upon the "History of Journalism" before the Unitarian club, gave some very good advice in the matter of achieving success in various lines of business. He emphasized the necessity of a little business sense in connection with every calling, claiming that accomplishments are of little account unless properly used to bring financial returns to the possessor. He gave striking instances to illustrate his remarks. He spoke as a man of long experience and intimate knowledge of his subject interspersing his discourse with anecdotes that convulsed his audience with laughter. It is easy to see that it is General Taylor's personality that guides the destiny of the Boston Globe and that has brought it to its present state of eminence and influence. He is one of the great newspaper men of the age, although not a particularly great writer nor even a great orator. He is a very entertaining speaker and as a writer, his style is characterized by terseness and a total absence of what is generally accepted as fine writing. His is the plain, matter-of-fact newspaper style which serves the purpose without any straining after effect.

The predicted end of the Philippine war is as far off as ever. General Otis can take the towns and cities but he cannot hold them. MacArthur may succeed in employing some natives to fight others and the probability is, that those he enlists will eventually prove traitors to the American cause. Aguinaldo is astonishing the world by his persistence, by the marvellous fight he is putting up in spite of his limited resources. He is clearly the superior of any American general in the islands.

The Textile school is secure for another year. Would it not be just as well to settle once for all how it is to be maintained, whether by the city or state or by both conjointly and how much each shall contribute.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Next Thursday is the first of June.

The hammock season is here again.

Band concerts would be appreciated.

Have you hired your summer cottage yet?

Ambition either makes or kills a woman.

Bicyclists were out in large numbers yesterday.

The Memorial Day parade promises to be a very good one.

High cheek bones always indicate great force of character.

The Reina Mercedes will look extremely well flying the stars and stripes.

Lowell's Only Newspaper, booms like all creation. It stands for everybody—The Sun.

Many men are afraid of ghosts who seem perfectly fearless in the presence of spirits.

Pure white felt hats are becoming very prevailing among men, as are straw hats.

Isabel Urquhart, the well known actress, has been granted a divorce from Guy Standing.

"It is reported that "Thompson," Manchester's new pitcher, is Varney of Dover, one of the "Dartmouth cracks."—Portsmouth Republican. Guess again, Brother Morse. Varney pitched at Hanover and "Thompson" at Manchester yesterday.—Concord, N. H, Monitor. Ask the Manchester papers if Curran of Tufts college, who won his spurs at pitching on the Lowell diamond was not about the size of the twirler who made his successful debut at Manchester, on Saturday afternoon last.

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Scottish Remedies Co.:
Gentlemen—I cannot speak too highly of your Scottish Remedies. For five years I have been troubled with sick headaches and billous attacks. I have tried various kinds of remedies; nothing seemed to relieve me until I tried your Anti-Billious Specialty. It certainly is a wonderful medicine, acting so gently and dispelling that morbid feeling, and bringing you back health and happiness again. I shall advise my friends to use the Scottish Remedies. With the best wishes for your success, I am, very respectfully,
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Sovereign Rheumatism Specialty, for Rheumatism, Aching Muscles, Soreness, Stiff Joints.
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Sovereign Blood Specialty, cleanses the Blood of its impurities, taints, etc.
Sovereign Nerve Specialty, for Nervous Exhaustion and General Debility.
Sovereign Heart Specialty, for weakened Heart action, Faintness, Fear, Fluttering, Dropsy.
Sovereign Catarrh Specialty, for Catarrh, Sore Throat, Colds, Influenza.
Sovereign Inhaling Powder, for Sore Throats, Colds, Influenza, Catarrh.
Sovereign Asthma Specialty, for Asthma, constriction of Air Tubes, difficulty in Breathing.
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339 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON.

When the mercury begins to climb it will not stop probably until it reaches the hundred shade mark.

The woman who laughs in a loud tone at the theatre can be sure of getting as much attention as the performers.

A split in the famous Lamb's club has resulted in the formation of the "Chops Club" at New York.

A farmer near Robbins hill, Chelmsford, boasts a motherly hen, 11 years old, which is caring for a family of 25 chickens this spring.

A Georgia exchange tells of an office that actually sought the man. It does not state, however, the amount the man owed the office.

Elm trees all about the city were shedding their seeds yesterday and the wind at times made it seem somewhat like a miniature snowstorm.

Now let us grab the heathens' wool
And everlasting lick 'em,
While good John Bull to help his pull,
Stands by and hollers "Sic 'em!"

When a man gets married he takes a mate to share his joys and sorows. After he has been married awhile he is willing to sell the shares way below par.

Denman Thompson has imported from Europe six bay trees, four boxwood trees and one English yew tree, which he has placed upon his lawn at West Swanzey.

A whizz, a whirl,
A nodding curl,
A flash of scarlet hose;
A smile she sweetly throws,
As just she swiftly goes,
The cycling girl.

Queen Victoria's collection of lace is said to be worth about $400,000. The Princess of Wales owns $250,000 worth of lace, and the ex-Empress Eugenie has a splendid collection. But that of Leo XIII. surpasses them all, being valued at almost a million dollars.

The tallest man in the United States navy has been selected to take the part of Uncle Sam in the peace jubilee to be held in Washington next month. The man who will represent this character is Chief Yeoman Wills, who stands six feet seven inches and is well proportioned.

The news that many of the Mormons are thinking of emigrating is the best news that has come from Utah for a good many days. The proposition is to go to the Canadian northwest where they will be in more congenial surroundings than they are in any part of the American republic. They were never at home on free soil.

A member of the Lowell fire department is now careful about smoking strange pipes. The other night during lunch hour he picked up a stray pipe in the "fire house," and after taking a few whiffs had the satisfaction of seeing the contents taking a Roman candle flight out of the bowl. It had been loaded for him.

The wearing of short skirts must be discontinued by the women school teachers of Lynn, and the men teachers must under no circumstances appear at the schoolhouse attired in knee pants and golf stockings. This is the edict of the school committee, and, while it has not been promulgated officially, the teachers have individually been given to understand what is expected of them in this respect.

A funny incident happened in the opening ball game in Cambridge. A Fitchburg base runner was not used to the new grounds, and in rounding third he failed to locate the home plate. He made for first base, and it was not until he had almost reached the pitcher's position that he got his bearings. He then made for the home plate, and the Cambridge players claimed an out for running out of line, but it was not allowed.

There are more freak matrimonial complications in Indiana to the square mile than in any other section of the country. Cupid, in his operations through Indiana, seems to have been afflicted with a most aggravated case of blind staggers.

Justice W. W. Strader has just united in marriage Russell Debusk and Miss Ella Bevars, and William Bevars and Miss Alphia Debusk. Miss Debusk is the daughter of Russell Debusk and William Bevars is a brother of Debusk's bride. A queer relationship is the result. Bevar's own sister is naturally his mother-in-law and his father-in-law is also his brother-in-law. Debusk's daughter becomes his sister-in-law. Mrs. Debusk is the stepmother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Bevars. Mrs. Bevars, being her father's sister, is consequently an aunt unto herself, while Debusk, being his daughter's brother, must necessarily be his own father. In case there is issue the child might be its own grandparent or the grandparent of its own father, while if this was carried out another generation it might easily be deducted that the child was never born.

But this case is hardly as remarkable as one which has come to light at Dillsboro. David Gray married his granddaughter by a former marriage. It would appear that the Grays believe in odd marriages, for Gray's father married his stepdaughter, whose mother was an aunt of the present wife. Now the question of relationship comes up. These two queer matrimonial ventures enclrcle themselves so often when the pencil is applied to the problem that by tracing it out it is very easy to figure all parties off the earth.

Over the line in Ohio, county, a man named Miller married a widow who had a grown-up daughter. His father fell in love with the stepdaughter. The father became the son's son-in-law and the stepdaughter became his mother. Recently the son's wife had a child. The child was Miller's father's brother-in-law and Miller's own uncle, for he was a brother of his stepdaughter. Miller's father's wife—his stepdaughter—also had a son, who was of course, Miller's brother and incidentally Miller's grandchild, for he was the son of Miller's daughter. Thus Miller's own wife was his mother's mother and Miller became his wife's grandchild at the same time. And then, to top the whole thing off, as the husband of his grandmother, he was his own grandfather.

Here is a little telephone experience:
"Hello, Central!"
"What number, please?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"I don't catch that."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Try it once more, please."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine four.
"One hundred and sixty-nine four."
"No, two sixty-nine four, two hundred and sixty nine, four."
"I can't give you two numbers at once, which do you want first?"
"I was giving you the same number two different ways."
"A little louder please, I can't quite make you out."
"I said I was giving the same number two different ways."
"Oh yes! Well what number do you want?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Suppose you give me each figure separately, like one, two, three, four for instance."
"All right one, two, got that?"
"Yes"
"One, two, three four, five, six, got that?"
"Yes."
"One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine. Got that?"
"Yes."
"One' two, three, four. Got that?"
"Yes, you want two, six-nine four, do you?"
"Yes, two hundred and sixty-nine, four. Do you understand now?"
"Yes I understand. Two hundred and sixty-nine, four is busy now. Ring off, please.

They've taken down the barrier
That custom used to raise;
The girl, if you would marry her,
Must do it all these days.
Papa and dearest mamma seem
Not "in it" as of yore—
When most they favor love's young dream,
The more you may deplore.

It used to be the proper thing
To cultivate mamma,
And give her potted plants and bring
Cigars for "dear papa;"
But fashion now has made it wise
To court the girl alone
To read her hieroglyphic eyes
And tremble on her tone.

Then in some lonesome dark retreat,
Far from the haunts of men,
Or maids, she'll bring you to your feet
Then bring you up again.
She'll educate you to the ways
That suit her inclination,
And marry you in ninety days,
By average calculation.

MAJOR DIGGLES' DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 28.—Maj. Arthur Diggles of the 13th Minnesota regiment whose death is reported at Manila, before the war, served as captain of Co. B, one of the Minnesota National Guard companies. He was appointed Junior Major at the time the regiment was mustered into the Federal service last year.

He was born in Boston May 13, 1855, and was graduated from Yale College with the class of '76. He had been a resident of Minneapolis for 15 years.

BARKER'S MESSAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The following despatch has been received at the navy department:

Manila, May 27.

To Secretary of Navy:
Washington,

Information has been received from the commander of the Castine (that) the Spanish troops have been withdrawn from San Bragan, P. I., on May 24. Information has been received from the commander of the Helena (that) the United States troops have relieved the Spanish troops at Sulu on May 20, saluted each flag; all quiet there.

—BARKER.

BIG SAFE BURGLARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 28.—Chief Post Office Inspector Evans of the New England force, received a telegram yesterday from Postmaster Thomas M. Barrows of Hinsdale, N. H., to the effect that the safe in the post office at that place was blown open sometime after midnight. Money and stamps were taken. The place was badly shattered and the work evidently was done by experts. An inspector will be sent to investigate the matter.

Y.M.C.A. CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 28.—Yesterday's session of the Y.M.C.A International conference opened in the midst of a violent thunder storm.

The opening address was by W. W. Cepper of Kenosha, Wis., on "Christian Stewardship." He presented the financial needs of the association at home and abroad. At the close of his address the work of raising money was begun. The secretary stated that the estimated need of the International committee was $135,000. Forty-five thousand was received and $35,000 additional also is asked for. General Supt. T. F. Whittlesley of the T. & O. C. R. R. delivered an address on "What Does the Railroad Company Expect from the Railroad Department?"

LOWELL ROMANCE

Local Young Couple Eloped on Friday

THEY WENT TO NASHUA TO BE MARRIED

Irate Parents Discover Them Just in Time.

It is as true today as it ever was that the course of true love seldom runs smoothly, says the Nashua Evening Press.

That it does not was illustrated in all its phases in this city last evening, when an officer stepped in with all the majesty of the law and sat down heavily on the honeymoon anticipations of a handsome would-be bride of 18 summers and a fine looking intended bridegroom of 20 years.

The couple had the symptoms that showed that they had run up against Cupid's insidious darts and that the young fellow had pinned their two hearts into one and thus made it expedient for them to fight the remainder of the battle of life under one flag. All would have gone well, but for a most obdurate parent.

The enterprising elopement which was very near being successful, was nipped in the bud by City Marshal Eaton, Inspector Flood and the father of the boy. A friend acted as interpreter for the parties, they being French-Canadians. They are residents of the sister city of Lowell. The meeting of the quartette with the mutual friend, a Mr. LeBlanc of this city, took place at the marshal's office, and when the denouement came there was a scene.

It appears that during the afternoon a young man telephoned from Lowell to City Clerk A. A. Hall asking if he could give a marriage license. Mr. Hall replied that he could. Later, City Marshall Eaton received an urgent telephone message from the officers in Lowell to prevent the marriage of an eloping couple from that city and to arrest the parties and hold them until the arrival of the father and a friend. The marshal and Detective Flood went to the office of the city clerk and notified City Clerk Hall and then awaited developments. It was supposed that the young man and girl left Lowell on the 3.20 electrics for Nashua but it appears that they came to Nashua on the steam cars, arriving a few minutes after 4 o'clock and a short time after, City Clerk Hall was called up by telephone by a Mr. LeBlanc, who wished to know if he could give a license and be in his office to unite a party in marriage. He replied that he would and notified the marshal, who, with Officer Flood, went to the city hall, where the parties were in the aldermen's room. At about 5 o'clock Mr. LeBlanc came in to get the license. The marshal mistrusted that the would-be bride and bridegroom were on the outside. He stepped out and saw them standing on the walk. He immediately took the young couple in charge and with Officer Flood, escorted them to the station. They were much surprised at the change in their matrimonial outlook, and entered a most vigorous protest.

But protests didn't go. They were still more surprised when the father, Mr. Besenard, accompanied by a Joseph Hould, arrived at the station and positively forbade the banns. Mr. Besenard was very persistent in his opposition to the wedding and at one time raised his cane as if to give his boy a thrashing.

In the meantime the young man clung to his would-be bride and said he should certainly make her his wife even if prevented that time, the young lady in the meantime challenging the father to say one word against her reputation or in any way to show that she was not well worthy to become the wife of her affianced and his daughter-in-law. As the war of words increased the girl was seized with hysterics and Officer Flood went off for ice water. Then the matron resuscitated the love lorn maiden and the sensation was on again in full blast. Meantime the marshal, with fatherly advice, was trying to soothe the lacerated feelings of all the parties. When the parties had cooled off a bit, Mr. Hould came to the rescue as the mutual friend and a family consultation took place.

Romeo Besenard, the bridegroom to be, persistently informed his father that while he could stop the marriage today he should certainly be married later, and the bride, Miss Burgderow, declared just as positively that she should have her lover for a husband.

Finally they came to an agreement by which Romeo and his girl should return to Lowell and to their homes, and matters should be amicably adjusted today to the satisfaction of the parents.

When seen by the press representative Mr. Besenard and his intended bride were boarding an electric car for Lowell. They were as happy as circumstances would permit, and quite positive that this little hitch in their private affairs was a disappointment that would make the proposed honeymoon trip, after their marriage, an incident for merriment.

After their departure the other Lowellites took a return car. They seemed pleased that matters had been fixed up by the aid of the police and a runaway marriage prevented.

TRIP TO BOSTON

BY A TWELVE-YEAR-OLD SCHOOL BOY.

I will give a little story about my trip to Boston. As I was going down to Boston to spend a few days, I thought I would write a little story about it as I went many interesting places, having with me Miss May F. Teague and Mr. John Hanlon. The first place I went was on board the steamship New England. This vessel is the largest ship that crosses the Atlantic. While I was on the ship, they were loading hundreds and hundreds of things on to go to Liverpool. On the boat there were two pianos, two dining rooms, a smoking room, berths, steerage and other rooms. It has every convenience. That ended my first day's sight-seeing. The next day I went through the subway which has been recently built. Beginning at the public gardens a two-track system enters the open decline passing into the subway. The subway is of pure porcelain brick, along walls near the stations and where there are no stations it is simply white walls. The cars in the subway go very fast and you get a very cool refreshing breeze. Next I went to the Tremont Building which is about 13 stories high and has about 12 elevators running up and down. A very beautiful view can be seen from the top of this building. I did not stay long here, but went over to the state house. First I went into the old senate chamber where the old members used to meet. We then went up in the elevator and up to the dome. A magnificent view can be seen from here. I stayed there quite a while and then went down and out. Another sight I saw was the oldest cemetery in Boston, known as the Old Granary Burying Ground, where the great men of the Revolutionary War are buried such as Samuel Adams, Paul Revere and others. The next day I went on board the United States training ship Enterprise. This is where the young boys who want to the admirals and commodores have to go. Some of them will probably be like Dewey, Schley and Sampson. The ship will leave for Europe June 16, '99. It is quite a large ship and first when you go in is the school. They have school in the morning, but not in the afternoon. The men were fixing up the boilers, getting ready for Europe. When the boys are sick they go into the hospital. On the hospital door is a large red cross. One sailor showed us the guns they use. They also have a piano on the ship. When we saw mostly everything that could be seen we went out. The next day I went to Keith's theatre and it was one of the grandest sights I have ever seen. It is a treat to go in there.

It seems to me like Paradise with all its angels on the walls and ceiling. There is a free check room where you may check your hat and coat. Then you go in and see the performance. You can go in any time you want and come out when you choose. There are numerous electric lights and a great boiler to ventilate the theatre and for power. The theatre has a gold letter box, a telephone, a writing desk, a dressing room and in fact every convenience. In another place you can see yourself about 20 times in different mirrors. Mr. Keith has also an American biograph. He has about 100 employes. It is called the model playhouse of the country. It is a vaudeville theatre with continuous performances from 10.30 am. to 10.30 pm. No person should visit Boston without seeing Keith's theatre. There are three prices according to location—25, 50 and 75 cents.

The next day I went to the Massachusetts state prison, having a card of introduction from F. E. Olmstead to Warden Bridges. I first went in the office and waited until the warden could spare the time to take us through. Then I went through the great iron door and the warden told us that he had prisoners 50 and 60 years old.

Then we went along the corridor to look in the cells of the prisoners and the cells are very neat in appearance. I will describe one of the cells I saw to give you an idea what is in them. There is a bed, a table, a closet, a couple of books, a clock, a pretty decorated shelf with little ornaments and a broom. The electric chair has recently been put there. I did not see the dungeon because the warden was short of officers. I also saw the cook-room. The last place I went was on the Steamship Wabash. I just visited parts of the ship. The steamship is out in the water a little way and you have to get in a little tug boat to go over there. I first went up stairs and around the ship, saw the engine room and where the ammunition and arms were kept, and where the prisoners are kept, the hospital, the deck and the cook room. That nearly ended my trip to Boston and I was very thankful to my guide who took me so many places.

—TOMMIE.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 28.—A good attendance marked the final session of the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday. The judicial committee made its final report including recommendations in that part of the Warszawiak case which the judical commission appointed to try the case referred to the assembly. The matter referred to was the memorial from the Fifth avenue church, N. Y., asking that the case be sent directly to it for retrial. The memorial's request was denied by the committee and the assembly approved.

The committee reported finding as judicial commission on the complaint of Rev. Moses Birkovitz against the synod of New Mexico. The action of the synod is disapproved. The synod directed the presbytery of Rio Grande to suspend Birkovitz without a trial.

An additional address to the International peace conference was adopted. This one recommends an international court of arbitration. The stated clerk said he would forward the address next week with a similar one from the alliance of Presbyterian churches of the world, representing millions of Christians.

CORPORATIONS AFFECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 28.—W. H. Hotchkiss, referee in bankruptcy, has handed down a decision, which, if sustained by the higher courts, will affect corporations in every state in the union.

The decision is that officers of a corporation, when they apply to a state court for a receiver, make a tacit admission of insolvency, which constitutes an act of bankruptcy and furnishes good and sufficient cause for the Federal court to declare such a corporation a bankrupt on petition of any of its creditors.

SEEKING CARRIE WILKINSON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The police are searching for a Carrie Wilkinson, who was discharged from the Mother's and Babies' hospital with a new-born baby, on August 15, 1897. It is believed that she took the name of Carrie Jones after leaving the hospital. The baby died on September 15 following.

The theory is that the loss of her own child upset her reason and that she took the Clark baby, who was as old as her own would be had it lived.

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STILL AT LARGE

Fontneau Who Shot His Wife Not Captured.

WOODS WERE SEARCHED ALL NIGHT

And No Trace of Him Was Found.

MRS. FONTNEAU CANNOT LIVE LONG.

Doctors Have Given up All Hope.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., May 27.—William Fontneau, the man who shot his wife at the Follet Place yesterday morning, has not been captured as yet and one of the attending physicians say the town authorities were slow in taking action in the matter. Dr. Mackie thinks that Fontneau would have been captured had the police acted immediately after being notified, but it was several hours before any steps were taken to apprehend the murderous assailant. Nearly a score of men spent the night searching the swamps about the Follet and old Thayer farms for Fontneau, but they found no traces of him. Search has been conducted in all near-by towns and cities where he was known to have friends and at places frequented by him, but no one has seen him since he left the room where he attacked his wife. The police think he is still in hiding. They do not think he had sufficient funds to get any great distance. On the day before the affair he had something less than $5 in his possession.

Mrs. Fontneau was living at noon today, but the doctors say she is liable to die at any moment. They have given up all hope of her recovery.

MULDOON VS. CITY

The Case to be Called on Wednesday.

The case of Thomas H. Muldoon vs. City of Lowell, for the payment of wages said to be due defendant will come up for trial in the police court on Wednesday forenoon next at 11 o'clock, subject to continuance if counsel on either side so desires. Daniel J. Donohue, Esq., will represent the plaintiff, and City Solicitor Qua the defendant.

A WOOLEN TRUST

Gets a Firm Foothold in New Hampshire

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEBANON, N. H., May 27.—The American Woolen company, the new combine which has been securing control of mills in Massachusetts, Maine, Rhode Island and other states, has gained a firm foothold in this state. The company has had agents in the Mascoma valley for some time and it was announced this forenoon that the trust had been successful in its attempts to purchase the mills of the Mascoma flannel company and the Riverside Woolen company of Lebanon. The Mascoma mills have been idle for six months or more owing to the poor out look that existed for a time. It is understood that the trust will operate both plants here at their full capacity and the purchase gives general satisfaction in the valley. The terms of the sale have not been made public.

The American woolen company is in possession of the Sawyer mills of Dover, Baltic of Enfield and will likely control other New Hampshire properties.

Stearns, Orient, Tribune and Sterling Bicycles at Shattuck & Son's, 30 Prescott St.

AUSTIN BOWE

FOUND DEAD IN A WELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MERIDEN, Conn., May 27.—Austin Bowe, aged 66 years, a highly respected citizen of this city was found dead in a well at the rear of his carriage shop today. Sometime ago he sustained a paralytic shock and it is said he greatly feared old age and suffering. Bowe eluded his nurse and is supposed to have thrown himself into the well.

COMPANIES WON

IN THE CELEBRATED ARKANSAS ANTI-TRUST CASES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LITLE ROCK, Ark., May 27.—The state supreme court today sustained the decision of the lower court in sustaining a demurrer interposed by the Insurance companies in the famous anti-trusts suits begun by the attorney general.

The prosecution's contention that insurance companies which belong to rating bureaus in other states cannot do business in Arkansas was overruled and many of the affected companies are already reopening their offices.

BILL SIGNED

GOVERNOR SIGNS METROPOLITAN PARK COMMISSION BILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—Governor Wolcott today signed the Metropolitan Park Commission bill, carrying with it an appropriation of $500,000 for additional roadways and boulevardes.

FATAL POWDER EXPLOSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 27.—Seven men were injured, one probably fatally in a powder explosion at Mine No. 2, of the Youghiogheny River Coal company at Scotthaven, Pa., today.

GOSSIP OF LONDON

Wealthy Americans at Covent Grand Opera.

"Tod" Sloan Has a Run of Bad Luck—A New Paper Called the Anglo-Saxon, Started.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 27.—The Queen's birthday celebrations and the Whitsuntide holidays have occupied the public mind this week. The celebrations went off without hitch at Windsor, although the festivities in the provinces were marred by rain. The weather throughout the week was extremely cold and unseasonable in Great Britain especially in Scotland. Queen Victoria started for Balmoral on Friday evening and the royal party which has been staying at Windsor Castle is dispersed, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the Duke and Duchess of York going to Sandringham. The court returns to Windsor at the end of June and will stay there a month. In August the Queen will go to Osborne, Isle of Wight.

The Cowes regatta has been fixed for the first week in August. Emperor William of Germany is expected to arrive at Cowes on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, July 26, and to stay there until August 5. His Majesty will probably attend the Goodwood cup races on Cup Day. The Queen will entertain the Emperor twice at Osborne and the Prince of Wales will entertain him once on board the royal yacht. His Majesty will give dinner parties on board the Hohenzollern and will attend the annual dinner of the Royal Yacht Squadron on August 1. The regatta of the Royal Yacht squadron will be the occasion for a gathering of royalties at Osborne and will attract the cream of society to Cowes. It is understood that the emperor's trip is of a strictly private nature and there will be no public ceremonies during his visit.

COVENT GARDEN OPERA.

Covent Garden Opera has been the scene of brilliant gathering this week and there was a strong muster of the wealthy and titled Americans. The Duchess of Marlborough, Tuesday, made her first appearance of the season. She was dressed in mourning (owing to the recent death of the widow of the seventh Duke of Marlborough, Frances Anne Emily, daughter of the third Marquis of Londonderry, relieved by a beautiful crescent of diamonds and a wide collar of pearls. Lady Randolph Churchill, who occupied the same box, was also in black.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley-Martin, their daughter, the Countess of Craven, and the latter's husband, the Earl of Craven, were among the fashionable assemblage, including the Duke and the Duchess of York, which witnessed the first appearance of Madame Melba as Juliet on Thursday. The Bradley-Martins are staying at Claridge's Hotel with the Cravens until their town house in Chesterfield Gardens is ready. It cost $500,000. Mrs. Bradley Martin wore only a few of her jewels at the opera, but her appearance attracted great interest in the audience, owing to the cablegrams relating to the circumstances of the family leaving America. Lorgnettes in all parts of the house were levelled at the Craven box, in the grand tier.

The Duchess of Marlborough will open a bazaar at Twickenham, June 9, in aid of the Refuge for Homeless Children.

THE MISSES LEITER'S TOUR.

According to advices received here, the Misses Leiter are about to start on a short tour of the towns in upper India, embarking at Colombo, Ceylon, in August, on their way to Paris, to rejoin their parents. They have been visiting the Viceroy of India (Lord Curzon of Kedleston, whose wife was a Miss Leiter.)

SLOANS BAD LUCK.

"Tod" Sloan has had a remarkable run of bad luck. Up to Friday he had ridden fourteen consecutive losers. His form is inexplicably bad, as although the quality of his mounts was generally poor, he had one or two capital horses such as Bettyfield, whose victory was regarded as a certainty. His host of backers came a cropper with Sloan's failure. The American jockey takes his place this week in Vanity Fair's gallery of caricatures. The short description accompanying the cartoon concludes: "He is a great little jockey, who is popular, but he is hardly so polite as a good Amerian should be."

The United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph Choate and Mrs. Choate, are visiting the Earl of Loven and Melville at Holyrood.

THE ANGLO SAXON.

A new paper to promote Anglo-American friendship entitled The Anglo Saxon appears this week. A number of letters from prominent men are published in the first number. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, writes that he wishes well of every movement which has for its object a closer union of the people s of the United States and Great Britain. Alfred Austin, the poet laureate, says "the consciousness of the brotherhood among the English-speaking communities comes home closely to my heart." Algernon Charles Swinburne expresses cordial sympathy with any enterprise designed to strengthen friendliness and promote re-union, for which, we must hope, for the two great branches of our race, that their principles and destinies are identical and that there is most hopeful and trustworthy promise in the future. Former Justice Hawkins and General Sir Evelyn Wood write in a similar strain.

STRANDING OF THE PARIS.

The reticence of Captain Watkins of the stranded American line steamer Paris and of the officials of the company respecting the possible causes of the disaster have caused unfavorable comment in the papers, but there is nothing but praise for the behavior of the officers and men after the vessel struck.

Captain Verney, formerly commander of the British warship Oberon, writes that he spent a winter steaming at full speed up and down the channel, to test a boiler and can most positively assert that with attention, a good lookout, and soundings, the navigation of the channel is free from danger.

Augustin Daly contracted pneumonia while on his recent voyage from New York and landed in a serious position. But he insisted upon being brought to London, by easy stages, in an invalid carriage and is now steadily improving.

Dr. Mitchell says in difficult cases of Anemia, he adds cod-liver oil half an hour after each meal and he likes to use it in an emulsion; that he has watched with growing surprise some listless, feeble, creature gathering flesh, color and wholesomeness of mind and body from this treatment.

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DRIVER HELD UP

HIS RIGHT TO DELIVER LIQUOR QUESTIONED BY INSPECTOR DONALDSON.

The Conway Transfer company undertook to deliver a load of liquor this noon received by freight from Ford Bros. in Lawrene and Inspector Donaldson placed the driver under temporary arrest until he proved his identity, because the wagon was not marked and had no license number. The horse and wagon were held at the police station for some time and the company was notified.

A GENERAL ALARM

Necessary for Fire at Hartford, Conn. To-day

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 27.—A general alarm calling out the entire fire department has just been sounded for a big fire in a livery stable on State street.

The livery stable is owned by James H. Reilly and is located in the rear of 173 State street. The locality is a dangerous one, there being a number of wholesale houses in the immediate neighborhood. It is believed that the loss will not be very heavy unless the flames spread. The fire originated in Reilly's stable and soon communicated with the stables of Tuttle & Mather, truckmen. It is believed that the loss will not exceed $10,000.

AT STATE HOUSE

Both Branches of Legislature Hold Short Sessions

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—Both branches of the legislature held short sessions today, but owing to the absence of a number there was no debate on any of the different matters which came up for consideration. The senate killed the house resolves for a commission to enquire into the best methods for supporting the public schools. The same body passed the bill providing for the dredging of Cohasset harbor and the bill for a new building at the hospital for dipsomaniacs at Foxboro.

The bill incorporating the Boston, Cape Cod & New York ship canal company was passed to be enacted.

In the house the committee on ways and means reported reference to the next General Court on the bill continuing the publication of the province laws. The house passed the bill providing for the regular state tax.

Both branches adjourned until Wednesday of next week.

BIG FOREST FIRE

RAGING THROUGH THE PLYMOUTH CO. MEADOWS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., May 27.—A forest fire started on a cross road between the North Carver and South Meadow roads about two miles from here today and spread rapidly before a high southwest wind. The woods were very dense at this point and the area is covered with scrub growth. In the path of the fire are two dwelling houses and a tract of pitch pine. A gang of men are endeavoring to control the flames and the town department is ready to respond to an alarm at any dry but much of the burning territory moment.

Box 165 at the corner of Westford and Pine street, 2.45 Saturday, p. m., was rung in for a brisk fire in the woods off Westford street beyond Tyler Park. Although the blaze had gained considerable headway before the department arrived, it did not take long to extinguish it, the recall being retarded because of the dangerous location of the fire.

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WHO CLAIMS RIGHT TO HIRE ASSISTANTS.

Employes Will Stand by Their Boss.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 27.—Twenty-four men and one hundred girls employed in the twisting room at the yarn and thread mill of the Greene and Daniels Mfg. company struck this morning out of sympathy with their overseer, Thomas Connors. Yesterday Connors was informed by Supt. Goldsmith that he had hired a new second hand for that room. Connors claimed the right to hire and discharge his own assistants and the discussion resulted in his quitting work last night. This morning the employes of the room struck and say they will not return to work until Connors goes in with the powers he claims are his right.

The overseer of the mule room took charge of the twisting room this morning and told the old second hand who was to have been displaced that he could remain, as the new man was not coming. Laurie refused to remain unless Connors was returned. Both the strikers and the heads of the mill agree as to these facts, except that the mill people say a majority of 100 girls were going to get through tonight anyway because of dull business. The strike is not expected to last long.

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 27.—Before the police court this morning, Fred E. Collins, George French and Frank Newhall of Lynn, Mass., were charged with assault with dangerous weapons upon Archie Coldwell. They pleaded not guilty and were held in the sum of $1000 each. The party assaulted failed to identify any of them and the evidence on which they were held was restricted to their own confession and the facts that two chambers in their revolvers were empty. The prisoners were represented by counsel and will furnish bail. The father of each boy was present.

ALLEN COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—James R. Allen committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas at his lodgings in this city at noon today. Despondency on account of the failure to secure employment is assigned as the cause. Mr. Allen was 53 years old and unmarried.

TWO WERE DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DALLAS, Texas, May 28.—Officials of the Texas & Pacific railroad here received advices that a passenger train on the Pecos valley road was wrecked Friday night near Carmen City, Texas, by a waterspout undermining the culvert. One brakeman and one passenger were drowned. The entire train is reported destroyed.

NOT A SUCCESS

No Cubans Appear to Assert Claims

FOR GRATUITY OFFERED THEM BY U. S.

Rodreiguez' Men Jeer the Proceedings.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, May 27.—11 a. m.—Not even one soldier has thus far appeared at La Punta and received the honarium of $75 allotted by the United States for the surrender of arms and disbandment of the men composing the Cuban army.

At 10 o'clock this morning, the hour set to begin the payment of the troops, Major Francis S. Dodge of the Paymaster's department, drove up in a four mule team with $50,000 in gold and $500 in silver. Six guards accompanied him and details of men from the Eighth Infantry were under arms to preserve order among the crowd which it was supposed would gather.

Col. George M. Randall of the Eighth Infantry, was present as commissioner of the United States.

Gen. Ruis Rivera, who was today inducted into the office of civil governor of Havana, was there to receive the arms, with a representative of General Gomez, four or five Cuban officers and 15 newspaper reporters. Half a dozen American clerks with the rolls of the Cuban army sat at a long table at the headquarters of the Eighth Infantry. A bag of gold was displayed, but there were no applicants for a share of it.

The spectators spent the time in discussing why no Cubans appeared. General Rivera said that though there were 4,319 enrolled privates and noncommissioned officers in the Fourth corps, few of them lived in Havana. He explained that they were outside the city, and would probably appear at other places in the province and get their apportionment. Nearly all the officers, he added, are in Havana.

The representative of Gomez, who has been acting with the latter in the interviews with Governor-General Brooke, took a gloomy view of the affair. He said the Americans had made a mistake in stipulating that the Cubans must give up their arms, as this had caused a bad impression among the Cubans.

A group of Cuban officers of General Mayia Rodriguez's staff, who had in the meanwhile assembled, grew confident as the time passed and no soldiers appeared. Finally they jeered in a quiet way at the whole proceedings.

Towards 11 o'clock an unarmed colored man in Cuban uniform came across the dusty square, attended by all the American spectators. He turned out to be an "assistant" or camp follower, and was dismissed.

Major Scott, General Ludlow's adjutant, sent word that a man named Harris, a Cuban-American serving a sentence in the penitentiary, would be sent under guard to get his $75, so at least one man was sure to take the gratuity. About four hundred men had been expected, and possibly many of these will come later. But the scheme of payment, so far as Havana is concerned, looks like a failure. Quite different results are expected in the country districts.

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TRIED TO SUICIDE

Providence Woman Makes Three Unsuccessful Tries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 27.—Hettie Fielder, 43 years of age, a divorced woman, who lived with her daughter on Ship street has made three unsuccessful attempts to commit suicide within the last 24 hours. She first attempt was prevented and this morning she attempted to inhale illuminating gas and took a dose of chloroform. She was discovered in time to save her life. She says she will try again.

Boston and Maine Railroad

Corrected to Oct. 8, 1898. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:
For Boston, 5.45, 6.05, *7.45, *7.15, *8.00, *9.15, *9.50, 11 a m; 1.40, *3.00, 4.95, *5.41 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a m.
Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell, as follows:
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For Lawrence, 6.23, w6.50, 27.38, w8.31, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, w2.31, w3.10, w4.05, 4.18, w5.10, w6.15, w7.00, w9.05, w11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a m, w12.05, w5.33, w7.25 p m.
For Salem, Mass, w6.58, 7.33 a m; w12.05, 1.58, w5.10, 6.33 p m.
For Haverhill, 6.23, 6.50, 27.38, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.50, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 5.15, 7.00, 9.25, 11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p m.
For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.24 a m; 12.05, 2.30, 4.25, 6.15 p m.
For Exeter and Dover, 6.23, 6.75, 27.33, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m.
For Somersworth, N H, Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, 27.38, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 6.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.
For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p m.
For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland 8.30 a m; 6.15 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.
For St John's, N B, Halifax, N S, 5.10 p m (does not run Saturdays). SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.
For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.
For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinue for the season.
For stations on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m.

For Woburn, 6.08, 7.01, 7.33, *7.43, 11.01 a m; 1.43 4.08 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.18 a m; 4.35, 5.58 p m.
For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.10 a m; 12.05, 5.01 and 6.12 p m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p m.
For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12 a m; 1.00, 3.41, 6.20 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.
For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 3.41 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.
For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.31, *5.53, 6.07, *8.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.09 a m (to Nashua only), 5.08 a m; 2.00, 6.02, 6.10, 8.40 p m.
For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *1.40, (to Franklin only) 5.41, 1.40 p m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 1.40 p m.
For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9.40 a m, *1.40, *8.40 p m.
For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *8.10 p m.
For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—*9.40 a m; *8.40 p m.
QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrook—9.40 a m; *8.40 p m.
References: *Express; †Daily. w Via Western Division. ‡Wednesdays and Saturdays only. † Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.
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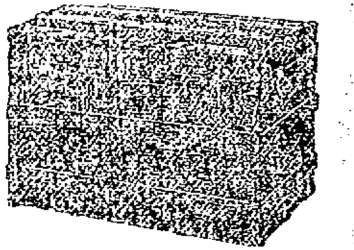

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A CENTURY OF GREAT STRIKES.

The Labor Strike Began One Hundred Years Ago and Will Die Out, it is Believed, with 1900.

At a recent meeting of the persons interested in a great trust it was intimated by the directors that there would never be a strike among their employes, and one of them added that the strike would be unknown in the history of labor after the nineteenth century—just as it was before the eighteenth.

This meant that capital was coming to appreciate labor.

The recent strike in Idaho was mild; so also the threatened Minnesota trouble. Strikes are growing less; yet at one time they threatened the prosperity of the country. It is no more than five years ago this August that there was a bread riot, led by Emma Goldman, in New York City. The strike in various forms menaced all industry.

The conditions have so changed in the last three years that now, if a strike is threatened the capitalist invites the leaders to consult him, not alone that he fears their power, but because he knows that they are men, like himself, intrusted with certain powers, and that they have ground to stand upon. Education has raised labor.

THE FIRST STRIKE.

The first strikes occurred in New York City a little over one hundred years ago. The journeyman bakers asked for higher wages, the request was refused and they stopped working. The leaders were arrested, and the bakers went to work again.

The strike of the bakers was the only outbreak for half a century.

The Republic was formed, and the workingmen of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, the cradle of the Nation's infantile industries, believed that wages would be higher, labor easier. A Republic must mean that, they thought.

"All men are equal," they said.

Soon they learned that a fine phrase is not always a truth, and that even a truth may be inoperative. From 1785 to 1790 wages rose, but from the latter year onward they began to recede toward the old standard.

In 1796 the boot and shoe makers of Philadelphia held a meeting, declared that they could not live on the pay given them, and struck for higher wages.

They failed, and after weeks of hunger returned to work in humbleness.

In 1798 the same men repeated their effort, and were successful in securing the advance. In the following year the employers felt stronger, and announced a cut to the old rate. Again the men struck, and after a long struggle a compromise was effected.

News traveled slowly in those days, but the success of the Quaker strikers was soon known in all other trades. The example had been given; there was needed but a cause for repetitions.

JACK TARS' STRIKE.

The sailors who came into the port of New York—there were American sailors then—had long complained of unjust marine laws and illegal practices by the shipping masters. Getting no legal redress, in 1803 they struck. The shipowners tried coercion. When a seaman refused to go on a voyage for which he had signed articles he was seized and carried aboard.

Indignation grew among the marines, and one morning New York's citizens awoke to learn that the wharves had been seized by armed sailors, most of them drunk, and all ready for rebellion. The city authorities tried to arrest the leaders, and bloody riots followed.

The year 1805 produced a new phase of the strike. Then for the first time since the Stars and Stripes were raised, strikes were punished by law. There were Philadelphia shoemakers, dissatisfied as of old; and after they had been "out" several weeks, the employers got the ear of a local magistrate, and the strike leaders were arrested and fined.

This was their heinous crime, legally stated:

"Conspiracy to raise wages!"

In 1821 the Albany printers, who had formed a union, struck against the employment of non-union men in a newspaper office. In two days the employers yielded. Printers were then, as now, among the most intelligent workingmen, and the news of their victory spread rapidly.

In Boston, in 1830, the carpenters and masons struck for a shorter working day, and failed because of dissensions among themselves.

The weavers of Paterson, N. J., struck in 1835 for a shorter day, and failed after six weeks of idleness.

QUAKER STRIKES.

In the same year the coal-yard laborers in Philadelphia went out, and the strike was compromised with the raising of wages 12½ cents a day, a good deal of money in that period.

From 1836 to 1842 there were twenty strikes, most of which were unsuccessful, the strikers winning in but two instances.

The spread of strikes may be traced to the growth—almost unnatural in its quickness—of three American properties: iron works, coal mines, railroads.

The history of labor troubles, since 1870 proves that nine strikes out of ten have been of laborers in these three industries. With every new line of railway was opened a territory to be affected by a general strike.

Iron was the first of the all-powerful trio to be attacked. In 1842 the Pittsburg bosses reduced wages. The men struck against the reduction. But the men had no organization, and after four months they returned to work, as badly battered as if they had been literally striking against iron.

They were not as fortunate as the Philadelphia weavers, who in 1843 won a strike after destroying considerable property.

The iron-workers, however, had been taught a lesson, and began the formation of a union. Three years were spent in building up the organization, and in 1845 they renewed the conflict with their employers. After three months wages were raised to the standard demanded.

For five years the men were nearer contentment than ever before. Then the mill-owners again complained of the depression in trade, of falling markets, of the absolute need of reducing wages. Deeds followed words, and pay was cut. Of course the men struck.

Then capital tried, for the first time, a course that has since become terribly common. The militia was called out.

The following year was one of strikes. There were riots everywhere, the entire militia of Massachusetts being called out to conquer the rebellious shoemakers, who started upon a strike of their own.

The coal-fields were battle-fields from 1861 to 1871, there being six strikes during that decade, each greater than the one that went before. The miners were lawless; but the mine-owners were equally so, even refusing to obey an eight-hour law passed by the Pennsylvania Legislature.

BAD YEARS.

From 1871 to 1875 cigar-makers struck nearly one hundred times, being unsuccessful in nearly every instance.

But the spirit of brotherhood among the workers was growing. They saw that unity of action was best, that throughout a class each member must uphold the others.

The test soon came, and in an industry theretofore unaffected—the railroads. In 1877 the Baltimore and Ohio reduced wages 10 per cent, and the men struck. The Eastern railroads supported the B. and O., and at once the employes of those roads "went out" as a protest, the Pennsylvania, Erie, Reading, Lake Shore and Fort Wayne roads being tied up.

From the beginning there was bloodshed. First at Martinsburg, then at Baltimore, then in Philadelphia, strikers killed those who tried to take their places, and soldiers shot the strikers. In Chicago the state of affairs was almost as bad.

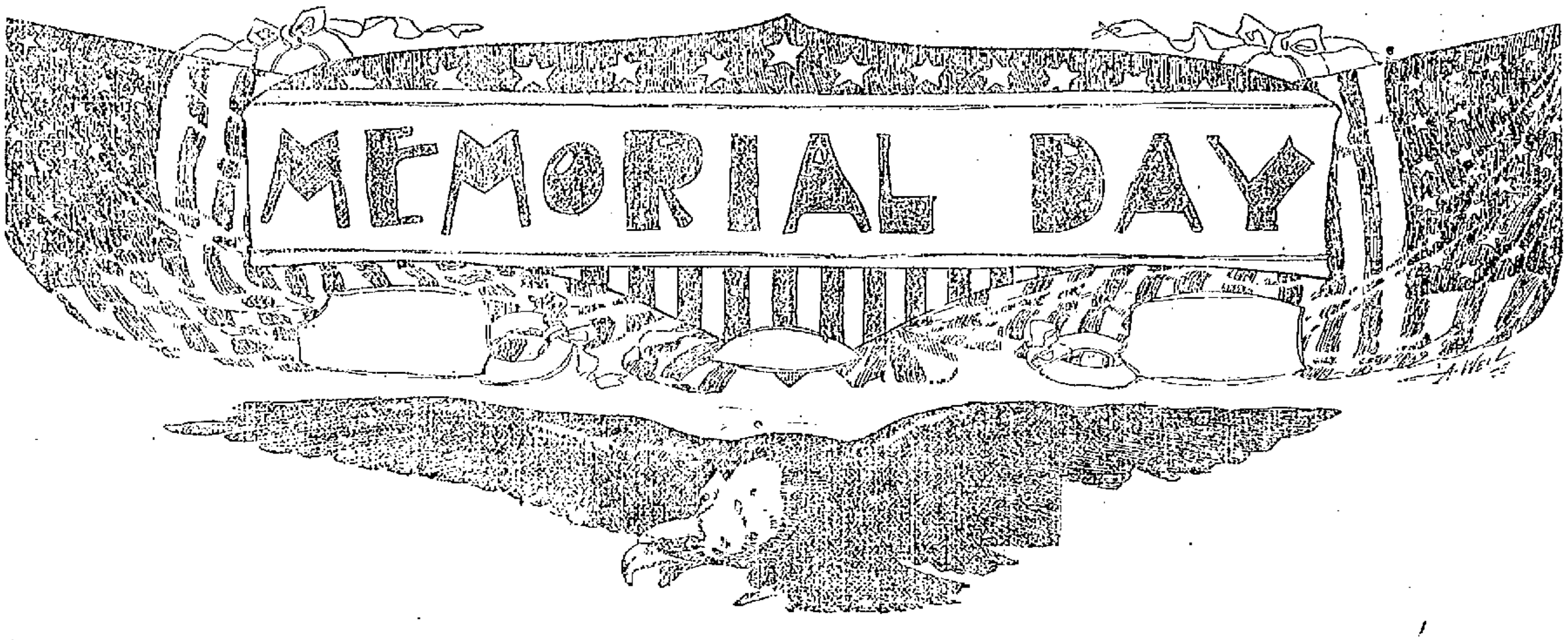
Troops were out in a half-dozen States. Ohio seemed on the verge of anarchy, strikers marching in turbulent procession through the streets of Cincinnati and Toledo, and defying the police.

Then arose a danger the most serious in labor troubles—the militia refused to fight the strikers. Workingmen themselves, they remembered that at any time they, too, might be fighting for bread, and they refused to fire on men engaged in such a combat.

In Pittsburg the soldiers even furnished the rioters with guns and ammunition. Federal troops were hurried into the breach, and the B. and O. men were driven to shelter. But they resumed violence when news reached them of the sympathetic strikes in the East.

Pennsylvania had an awful four days of carnage. Readjustment brought peace.

The Homestead strike, ten years later, is now history, as is the Pullman strike of five years ago. Both sides had rights, both had wrongs!



A NEW MEMORIAL DAY FOR '99.

It Will Be Celebrated as the Greatest Military Holiday of the Year.

Memorial Day this year has a new significance. It commemorates the dead of the Spanish war, the heroes for whom buildings are still draped and crepe worn. It is just a year since the soldiers began falling under the Spanish shells, and though the war casualties were famously small, the loss, trifling as it is in the annals of history, is keenly felt. And to Memorial Day, '99, there is an added significance.

The custom of strewing flowers upon the graves of the dead is as old as the human race, yet it remained for the American people to inaugurate a Decoration Day. Thirty-two years ago a day was set apart as an annual holiday for the trimming of the graves of soldiers, and the day has grown in importance with the years. Though the North is generally credited with initiating the custom, it was actually the South that was first to have a Decoration Day.

The idea originated with Prof. Andrew Washburn, of Hyde Park, Mass., and later of Denver, Col. He had served in the Union Army, but went South just after the war as an educator, and was engaged in Richmond, Va., together with half a dozen other Eastern teachers, in those trying times. They were sad days, for Richmond was in trouble and poverty, and the most popular little trip was to Belle Isle, just above the city, in the James River, the site of the famous Confederate prison. It told a heart-rending story of death—did Belle Isle in those days—for there were long rows of irregular graves, and on one of these trips in the spring the Northern school teachers took with them a quantity of wild flowers, which they gathered en route, to scatter over the graves. They were assisted by many of the children of Richmond.

The following May, 1866, Prof. Washburn suggested to his assistants that they choose a regular day for the pilgrimage to Belle Isle to decorate the graves of fallen soldiers, and May 30 was the day decided upon.

Many children were invited and told to bring as many flowers as they could. On the evening of May 29 the teachers met in Mrs. Washburn's kitchen, and there made up the flowers into wreaths and bouches.

A RAINY DAY.

The next day was rainy, true to later Decoration Day records, but, nevertheless, the party, headed by the Mayor of the city, went to Belle Isle, bearing the flowers. They planted a cross among the mounds, and then went from headboard to headboard, nailing a wreath on each one.

At the close they all sang a war hymn, and, while they were singing, the clouds parted overhead and a beam of sunlight came through upon them. A clergyman who had accompanied them offered up a prayer, and with that the ceremony ended. That was the first Decoration Day.

The following year, 1867, the ladies of Richmond decorated the Confederate graves in Hollywood Cemetery, and a similar beautiful commemoration took place in North Carolina and elsewhere in the South.

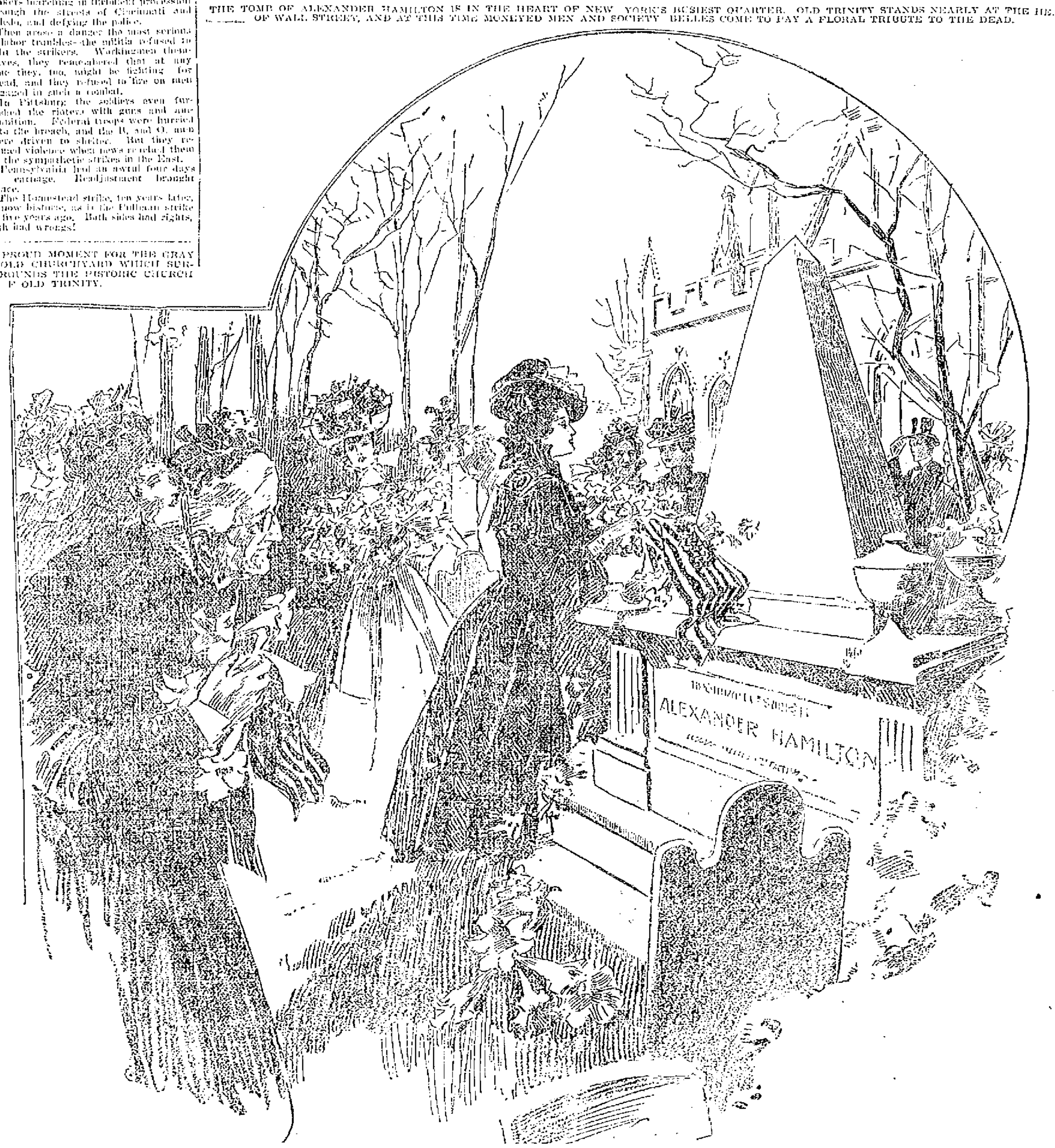
The next year the Grand Army of the Republic took up the subject, and Gen. John A. Logan sent forth a general order designating the 30th day of May for the decoration of the graves of the brave soldiers who had fallen in the war.

The most enthusiastic States were Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Ohio and Pennsylvania. New York and New Jersey responded liberally. Kentucky and Tennessee showed a wide observance of Decoration Day, and the cemeteries in Virginia, at Arlington, Culpeper and Yorktown, bloomed like a rose garden. No State but tried to do something.

To-day no soldier's tomb in the United States is knowingly left undecorated on Memorial Day. The Government has eighteen National cemeteries, which it guards with special care. Here 300,000 of our soldiers lay, but not a grave will be slighted next Tuesday, for Decoration Day will be observed this year as it has not been for twenty-five years.

THE TOMB OF ALEXANDER HAMILTON IS IN THE HEART OF NEW YORK'S BUSIEST QUARTER. OLD TRINITY STANDS NEARLY AT THE HEAD OF WALL STREET, AND AT THIS TIME MONEYED MEN AND SOCIETY BELLES COME TO PAY A FLORAL TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

A PROUD MOMENT FOR THE GRAY OLD CHURCHYARD WHICH SURROUNDS THE HISTORIC CHURCH OF OLD TRINITY.



DECORATING THE GRAVES OF THE BRAVE SOLDIERS WHO HAVE PERISHED IN THE WARS OF THE PRESENT CENTURY. OLD TRINITY, IN NEW YORK, IS A FRAGRANT SPOT ON MEMORIAL DAY, FOR ALL BRING THEIR OFFERINGS TO LAY UPON THE TOMBS OF THE BRAVE WARRIORS OF THE PAST.

GREAT DEEDS OF THE SPANISH WAR.

They Make More Heroic Reading Than Those of Leander, of the Hellespont and the Hero of Thermopylae.

A poet lamented the other day that there were no deeds of heroism to sing of the late war. Poor poet! He little knew that to his blinded eyes a scene was presented which, if the vista were secured, would stretch out broader, nobler and fairer than any of the marvelous works of history. Nineteenth century deeds were those of marvelous gallantry in the field. All the wars of history seem leading up to the time when the United States should buckle on its armor and go to fight Spain and utterly defeat it—not by overwhelming forces, but by strategy, cleverness, bravery and right.

The greatest deed of the Spanish war is, in the opinion of many, the deed of Hobson in the sinking of the Merrimac. The young man, without knowing what lay in Santiago Bay, went boldly forth with half a dozen comrades and blew up the ship upon which he stood, trusting to the waters to carry him home. The cutting of the bridge by the Roman of old was not more heroic than this.

"O, Tiber, Father Tiber, to whom the Romans pray,
A Roman's life, a Roman's arms take thou in charge this day."

So sang Horatius at the bridge when the last beam had been severed; and so saying he threw himself into the Tiber to swim across to his army. Hobson did as great a thing, and greater, for, in the dead of night, he blew up his ship and undertook the impossible task of swimming out of the intricate waters of the Atlantic. Of course, he was captured, but his captors treated him with the deference of a prisoner of state.

Was not the deed of Hamilton Fish worthy a war poem? Should not one wreath on Memorial Day be laid upon his headstone? On June 24 of last year, before our soldiers had tasted shot and shell, he rode ahead of the famous Rough Riders right into the heart of the enemy's country. They were almost certain of ambush. That morning Fish said to one of his comrades: "I'll go on ahead; I'm big, and they can see me coming."

And they did see him coming. On foot, cutting his way through the bushes, pushing ahead of all the rest, went the brave young soldier, his six feet three inches of height towering over the heads of them all. Suddenly, they were in ambush, and the first shot mowed him down. He died where he fell; his last instructions were: "Go on; never mind me!"

Colonel Roosevelt, Governor of New York State, went up San Juan Hill, waving his sword, while the shot fell so thick around him that it felt like hailstones. His hat and his hand were shot; but he threw away the one and tied up the other and went on, rejoicing that it was his left hand. He said afterward that he could not help going into the fight: if he hadn't gone as fast as he did his men would have run over him. But the men tell a different story. They say that Colonel Roosevelt rushed upon the enemy with such ferocity that they were obliged to push hard after him, or they would have lost sight of his coat tails.

Colonel Funston, the hero of nine lives, swam a river in Cuba, as he has just swam one in the Philippines. The Colonel took a perilous ride once through the enemy's country, on the way to find Gomez. He was chased by Spanish cavalry, and did the clever trick of doubling on his own course. Striking into the woods, he turned back and passed his pursuers, who were spurring on their horses after him.

What about Schley's race when he stood upon the bridge of the ship, and, looking at the retreating form of the Christobal Colon, said: "I want that ship." Schley never quit his exposed position through the engagement, and had the satisfaction of getting the ship which he wanted.

Wainwright's little Gloucester will be famous in history. Why not write a poem to the little yacht which put on its war paint and went out as a baby warship? Captain Wainwright saw two torpedo-boat destroyers, the Terror and the Pluton, close together, and he said to himself: "Why not kill two birds with one stone?" And kill them he did. The Gloucester, with her little guns pointed on the fierce destroyers, shot them through and through, and sank them out at sea. They lie there somewhere in the deep as monuments of the work of the yacht manned by Wainwright and his crew.

Captain Clark's run around the cape with Engineer Millican will be told in verse some day when our poets wake up to the fact that this war has been one of great deeds. Captain Clark was told to sail around Cape Horn and up the coast of South America, and to join our fleet in the Gulf of Mexico. He was warned that there might be danger on the high seas, for the Cape Verde fleet was lost sight of.

When he put in at Brazil, he found this message waiting for him: "The Cape Verde fleet probably lying in your course. If you meet them, you do the best you can."

After reading that telegram, Captain Clark sent for Engineer Millican, and said to him: "What can we do?" and Millican replied: "I can give them a pretty good run for their money."

For twenty-eight days and nights the Oregon was kept under full steam, ready at every moment for a surprise. One day they got a terrible fright aboard, for a little boat loomed up in the distance. But, as it came nearer, it proved to be under the English flag.

Captain Clark had his course mapped out, and this is the way he describes it now: "I intended, if I met Cervera's fleet, to run away as fast as I could. This would string out the seven warships until they were one behind the other, a mile or two apart, and then I intended to turn suddenly around and meet them one by one, and I knew that I could sink the whole fleet that way."

Engineer Millican, who kept the boilers going as high as possible, is generous in his thanks to the chemist aboard ship. He said: "If it had not been for our chemist I could not have kept the steam up. He kindly allowed me to give the crew water from which the salt had been extracted only until it was pleasant to the taste. He did not insist upon a perfectly pure water. Thus I was able to keep the engine and boilers supplied with enough water to keep the steam up to its fullest capacity."

Here are only half a dozen of the most conspicuous deeds, not counting those of Sampson and Dewey; but the poet, if he reads this, will have enough to do for the present.

COMES UNDER LAW

Witch Hazel Taxable as Toilet Water.

MANY LOWELL DRUGGISTS AFFECTED.

They Carry Large Quantities in Stock.

Many Lowell druggists have been surprised to learn that by recent decision, the commodity known as witch hazel is taxable as toilet water under act of June 13, 1898. The object of this law is to tax all proprietary preparations with trade mark, all patented mixtures, all remedies advertised for the cure of diseases, provided directions for use appear on the label, all so-called "non-secret" remedies, "all remedies or preparations advertised in any print, such as any newspapers, by hand bill, circular, poster, or public sign and recommended to alleviate any ill whatever, whether the use be by "internal or external application," all perfumes, etc., of special interest at this time, "all preparations and compositions held out and specially recommended as adding to or enhancing the beauty of the skin, hair, mouth, or complexion. These include all face powders, rouge, hair dyes, hair oils, vaseline, petroleum, bay rum, dentrifices, tooth paste, complexion soaps and similar articles."

Witch hazel was not held taxable under the act as it was supposed to be used only for medicinal purposes and unless special claims were made for its curative properties on the package, it would not be included in the above list of articles.

The following extract from a letter from the office of commissioner of internal revenue, dated Washington, D. C., May 8, 1899, is explanatory:

" * * * "You are advised that this office has recently held since the act of June 13, 1898, went into effect, that witch hazel, being believed to have been more often used as a medicinal preparation was dependent upon the claims made for it as a remedy for some ailments in order to have been charged with the stamp act under schedule B. But now this office is reliably informed that witch hazel is universally used as a toilet water; that the amount so consumed is believed to be greatly in excess of that employed as a medicinal preparation, and therefore, its former ruling, holding it taxable only when it is held out as a specific for some ailment or put up in the style and manner of proprietary medicines, is rescinded and it is held instead to be taxable under schedule B as a toilet water and it must be stamped in bulk or otherwise before it is removed from the place of manufacture or importation, regardless of the style or manner in which it is sold or what claims are made for it on the label, or, in fact, whether it is labeled at all or not, so long as the fact that it is witch hazel is known.

Druggists have been bothered by the clause referring to labels and directions for use as many articles of common use are put up in this way.

This tax of witch hazel will add to their tribulations, since many of them carry large quantities in stock and a tax of one-eight of a cent for every five cents worth will mean a good deal to those having a large stock on hand.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 27, 1899.

May 18, Nora Fitzgerald, 18, consumption.
19, John Keene, 58, pulm. hemorrhage.
Nellie Whitworth, 32, catr. bronchitis.
Louis Sarrasin, 7 mos., cap. bronchitis.
20, Susie E. Trask, 38, cer. hemorrhage.
Romola Rochette, 27, metritis.
M. Adelaide Lepine, 10, pyemia.
Mary Zueras, 3, meningitis.
George Ellison, 1, bronchitis.
Marie Richard, 8 days, anaemia.
21, Sarah Mathews, 72, apoplexy.
William B. Giles, 26, tuberculosis.
Sarah L. Robinson, 20, phthisis.
Bessie Tapletz, 28, phthisis.
Jeremiah Geary 20, pneumonia.
22, Rosalie D. Paulin, 70, disease of liver.
William J. Corbett, 63, disease of heart.
Charles E. Andrews, 55, apoplexy.
Jeremiah Hurley, 45, cap. bronchitis.
Rose Perry, 23, consumption.
Mary Kelley, 74, pneumonia.
22, Bridget Bergen, 76, diabetes.
Ann Hartigan, 65, cancer.
Willard Spinney, 40, Bright's disease.
23, Anastasia Collins, 57, myocarditis.
Michael Tulley, 85, senility.
Mary A. Shepherd, 67, heart disease.
Kate L. Holland, 67, heart disease.
Harvey L. Aldrelch, 24, ch. diarrhoea.
Arthur Richard, 34, heart disease.
Irine Downing, 9 mos., dentition.
24, Henrietta Kurtz, 64, cirrhosis of liver.
Gladis E. Graffam, 5, measles.
Mary McDonald, 11mos. marasmus.
——Widen, 2 mos. inanition.
Rosanna Richard, 13 days anaemia.
25, Alexandrine Manseau, 36, phthisis.
Elzear Boisvert, 1, measles.
Joseph Silva, 8 mos., pneumonia.

GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.

ORDAINED A DEACON.

In the annual spring ordinations for the seminarians of St. John's Ecclesiastical seminary at Brighton held Saturday morning in the cathedral of the Holy Cross, Rev. John J. O'Hearn of this city was ordained deacon.

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VESPERS WON GOLF GAME.

The Lexington golf club played a team match against the Vesper Country club of Lowell on the Lexington links Saturday and was defeated 6 up. A large delegation of club members accompanied the visiting team and were handsomely entertained by the women of the Lexington club after the match. The score:

VESPERS.

Thorp	0
Chadwick	4
Ranney	6
Corwin	6
Grover	1
Sherman	1
Total	12

LEXINGTON.

Griffiths	2
Tyler	0
Courtney	0
Sewall	2
Stevens	2
Lockwood	0
Total	6

A game in the series for the Kennard cup, a trophy donated to be competed for by the women of both clubs, also took place. Miss Ames of Lowell and Miss Gookin of Lexington played a tie with a score of 119 each, but on the playoff Miss Ames proved the winner. The summary:

	First round	Second round	Total
Miss Ames, Lowell	58	61	119
Miss Gookin, Lexg.	55	64	119
Miss E. Lockwood, "	61	74	135
Miss R. Lockwood, "	71	72	143
Mrs. Chadwick Low'll	74	81	155
Miss Clarke, Lexg.	75	80	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths, "	75	81	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths "	75	81	156

No card, Mrs. Reed, Lexington.

MATHEWS WON

Made Garrison Finish in Saturday's Game

GRIMES CAME TO THE RESCUE

When Jack Fahey Had Weakened.

The Mathews opened up the home season in the Trolley league by winning a game from the Newburyports at Mountain Rock Saturday.

The score was large, 19 to 18, yet the excitement was great at all times.

It looked all up for the Mathews in the fifth, when the visitors scored nine runs and made the score 15 to 6, in their favor. Fahey lost control of the ball entirely in this inning, and let the Newburyports hit the ball hard. Those who did not hit it got to first on balls.

Grimes was substituted and held his opponents down.

The Mats got in the game in their half in the sixth and aided by wild throws piled up seven runs. They tied the score in the seventh and won in the eighth when they made four runs. The features of the game were a rattling double play by Lynch and Castles circus catches by Brown and Vaughn, and the base running of Doyle. Early in the game, Dunlavey got struck in the lip by a foul and got a bad cut. After that he wore a mask behind the bat. The score:

MATHEWS.

	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
Maguire, 2b	6	1	1	1	5	3	1
Lynch, cf	4	3	3	3	3	1	0
Doyle, ss	2	2	1	1	1	4	1
Castles, 1b	5	2	1	2	8	0	2
Hoyle, rf	6	4	3	3	1	0	0
Vaughn, lf	4	3	3	3	2	0	1
Fahey, p	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Grimes, p	3	1	2	2	0	0	0
Dunlavey, c	4	0	0	0	6	0	0
King, 3b	5	3	2	2	3	2	1
Totals	42	19	16	17	27	11	9

NEWBURYPORT.

	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
B. Atkinson, 2b	6	4	4	4	2	0	1
Piloe, lf	6	2	2	2	0	0	2
O. Atkinson, 1b	5	2	2	4	9	2	0
Merritt, c	4	1	1	1	8	8	3
Leary, ss	5	1	3	3	0	6	2
King, 3b ... 3	2	2	2	2	3	2	1
Brown, 3b, rf, cf	5	2	1	1	2	0	2
Pope, cf, rf	5	1	0	0	0	0	1
Shepard, p	[illegible]	2	2	2	0	1	1
Totals	45	18	17	19	24	19	13

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Mathews	0	2	0	4	1	7	1	4	*	—19
Newports	0	0	2	4	9	0	0	0	3	—18

The Emmetts laid off on Saturday. So did the Mysteries, of whom Manager Burnett says all the other teams in the city are afraid.

The Shamrocks says that for some time to come their attention will be engaged in playing return games. Manager Kavanaugh says, however, he is willing to forego one of the dates to play with the Mathews.

The victory of the Brockton team last week has greatly encouraged Manager Burnham, and he will be out for the lead from this time on. He announced this morning two important additions to the Brockton team. William V. Hawke, a pitcher from Wilmington, Del., has accepted terms. Hawke was formerly on the Baltimore league team. Two years ago he fell from a horse and wrenched his hand and was unable to pitch. He is highly recommended by Day and McCafferty, who say he has great speed and is a find.

John F. Quinn, for two years captain and catcher of the Peoria team of the Western association, has also accepted terms. Two years ago he caught in 95 games. He is recommended by Bernard, who has played with him, and who says he is a fine backstop and a strong thrower. With these additions Brockton will very shortly make some of the other larger teams hustle. With good support some great playing is sure to be seen at Highland Park.

Catcher Nelson, with Newport last year and with Buffalo a while this spring, is playing with Cortland, N. Y., where Mike Birmingham is covering first in fine form.

Manager Burns believes in keeping young pitchers on the bench as long as possible before allowing them to make their major league debut. It gives them an opportunity of getting acquainted with the league batsmen without suffering defeat. His method worked well with Katall.

Brampton, who was featured in metropolitan papers as a pitcher for the New Yorks, has been tried by the Waterbury club in the Connecticut state league, and has been turned adrift.

Stroh has been released by Newport and Shires is playing third. Armstrong is covering first until a third baseman can be secured.

Jack Downey, a catcher and outfielder who has played with Hamilton, Ont., would like a chance on a New England league team.

The Cambridge team which will assume the title of Lowells when they come here for a permanent stay and beginning their season in this city a week from today, though they are easily the tailenders of the New England league, can play ball and hold their own with the best nine the league affords, says Manager Blake, who will do his utmost to make new league ball pay in this city. "You can say to the people of Lowell for me," remarked Mr. Blake, "that the team does not come here for a day a week or a month but for all the time. We will give Lowell the kind of games for which its admirers have long been waiting for. The city government has been invited to attend the opening game. Billy Conners will cover second base.

The Eagles have organized for the season of '99. They are as follows: C. Smith, c; T. Shanahan, ss; Jigger Killeen, 3b; J. Sullivan, lf; E. Mullin, cf; T. Morrison, rf; T. Rowe, sub; Big Feet Thompson, batminder. They would like to hear from any team under 11 years. McGovern says his arm is in fine shape for pitching. Send challenges to Carl Smith, 8 Gold street.

In a slugging match which half the town, including a large portion of the young female population turned out to see, Jim Rodgers' Colts, the vigorous Collinsvilles, "did" the Orients on the home grounds Saturday afternoon. Summary:

Collinsville	0	3	1	4	9	3	0	0	0	—22
Orients	1	0	1	4	4	3	5	0	1	—19

Batteries—Orients, Scott and Moody; Collinsville, Houle and Rogers. Struck out by Scott, 4; by Houle, 3.

James now wants to get a crack at the Shamrocks or any other Lowell team that knows the fine points of the game.

The Shamrocks were on hand at the North Common Saturday afternoon to contest a game with the Groves, but not enough of the latter nine appeared. A forfeit to the Shamrocks was declared.

The Y.M.C.A. beat the Tigers of the North common by a score 15 to 5. The Tigers had the Y.M.C.A. 1 to 0 till the 3rd inning, when the latter piled up 7 runs and won the game. In the second inning, Russell, the pitcher of the Y.M.C.A.'s struck out three men in succession, only pitching 14 balls in all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark of North New Portland, Me., and Miss Winona Clark of Wellesley college are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Savage of South Walker street.

SANCTUARY CHOIR.

A sanctuary choir has been organized among the boys of St. Peter's church and rehearsals are being held under the direction of Fred O. Blunt, who is instructing the boys in singing. It is intended to have the sanctuary choir sing at the services when the new church is opened.

AT CITY FARM.

Miss Bennett, the new assistant secretary of the Y. W. C. A., had charge of the gospel meeting at the City Farm yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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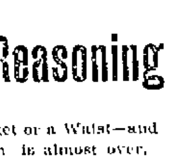

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FOR SALE or to let, a baker shop and grocery store, with fixtures, in good condition, also barn attached at Wilton, N. H. Only baker shop in town. Good stand. Inquire of A. Hamilton, 90 Tilden street, city.

FOR SALE—Pool room and cigar store for sale at 180 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Hotel in Nashua, steam heat, electric bells. For particulars, address W. M., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Large boarding house cor. Fayette and East Merrimack streets, with 20 steady, good paying boarders and roomers. Price $100. This is a rare chance; come quick or you will lose it.

FOR SALE—A first class bar with restaurant attached; 3 minutes' walk from depot; good reasons for selling; terms low. 59 Eddy street, Providence, R. I.

FOR SALE—A complete set of shoemaker's tools; also good Singer sewing machines. Enquire of John Lawson, Graniteville, Mass.

FOR SALE—Desirable farms, cheap. Apply soon to Lemuel M. Hutchings, Westford, Mass.

FOR SALE—Eclipse Oil Co. Stock. Address O., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Must be sold this week, a bed lounge, a parlor stove and a baby carriage at your own price. Call evenings. 71 Washington street.

FOR SALE—Best fitted and cleanest restaurant in Lawrence; first class; location beats all others, and is paying good money. Price reasonable. Anyone that wants a good business and make money this is the one. Address or apply to O. W. Howard, 521 Essex street.

FOR SALE—Boarding and lodging house in good location on Merrimack street; price low; a great snap. Inquire at Room 1, Mansur block, Central street.

FOR SALE—The entire outfit for preparing fried fish and chipped potatoes. We are going out of the business for good reasons and offer the outfit at a bargain. For full particulars apply to J. W. Robinson, 110 Tenney street, Methuen, Mass.

WAGONS—Inspection invited to my select stock of Concords, democrats, square wagons, panel side wagons, and an assortment of second hand phaetons, Stanhope buggies, wagons in good condition, all of which I will sell at bargains. J. F. Libby, 99 Robbins street.

FOR SALE—A first-class cobbler's shop, including all kinds of tools, lasts, machines, etc. Apply at 11 Pleasant street.

WILL SELL OR TRADE—4000 feet of land 15 minutes walk from Centralville bridge, price $101. Also a cottage of 7 rooms near Gorham street at a bargain; 6000 feet at Yellow Meeting House. Inquire 1198 Bridge street.

MUST SELL my upright piano, stool, scarf, and 150 sheets of music; would prefer cash, but will sell on instalments. Address P. O. Box 487.

FOR SALE—Lot of land on Highland avenue (000 feet, by Lewis D. Gumb, 914 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Ten R.I.P.A.N.S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—One of the best places ever offered in Lowell for the money. A new two story house of eight rooms, all modern improvements, wash room with set tubs, also bath room and pantry, large barn. Cars pass the door. Price low and an easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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FOR SALE—On Hildreth street 7 room cottage house, near Bridge street. Price $1300. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

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FOR SALE—On Bowers street two tenement house, good location. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Grace street two tenement house of five rooms each tenement. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SIDE LINE—Free outfit offered by prominent house. Protected ground. "Rubber," P. O. 1571, New York.

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RUBBER STAMPS—At wholesale prices. 1 inch one line stamps 10c; 1 1-2 inch 15c; 25c. ink pads 25c; 25c. ink pads 15c; 50c. linen markers 25c; business stamps 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 138 Merrimack street.

THE EX-PRESIDENT of the Bakers' union pays one hundred dollars to all the scab shops in this city if they can show a better loaf of bread than he keeps in his store at 152 Church street. Brothers and sisters patronize him respectively. Paul Bretschneider, Union Bakery.

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REMOVAL—Sam Smith, formerly at 101 Market street, has removed his Boot and Shoe Store to the new Appleton stores, 271 Middlesex street, where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers. Boots, shoes and rubbers repaired at lowest prices. New and second hand shoes for sale cheap.

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WANTED—A situation as kitchen girl. Inquire of Margaret Kelley, 35 Union street.

WANTED—By a man and wife a nicely furnished room, with or without board, in private family, in vicinity of Westford street. Address D., this office.

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WANTED—Agents. Sell our goods and make $5 daily easily and pleasantly. D. Archibald, 78 Nassau street, New York.

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WANTED—Lady agents for medicine company. Salary and expenses at the start. No experience necessary. Call in person at once at 81 First Street.

WANTED—Competent man here with $2000 cash. Permanent position, worth $3000 yearly; staple line. J. Splane, Como Building, Chicago.

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WANTED—Collectors and canvassers. Call room 81 Hildreth Building, till 8.30 p. m.

AGENTS WANTED—For a special summer campaign. The Saturday Evening Post—established by Benjamin Franklin in 1728—now published by The Curtis Publishing Company, proprietors of the Ladies' Home Journal, is offered to subscribers, for one year only, for $1.00—the regular price is $2.50. This offer is for the purpose of a quick introduction, and will be withdrawn September 1st. The regular price of $2.50 will be maintained after that date. We will give a good commission for every subscriber secured and distribute $9,700 September 1st among the 175 best agents. $500 will be given the person sending the largest number of subscribers at $1.00 each per year. At this special low subscription price thousands can be easily secured. Address The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Names of ruptured people. We cure rupture free to introduce our method. Dr. Speirs, 61 Main street, Westbrook, Me.

WANTED—A blacksmith and helper at Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen Street.

STENOGRAPHER and typewriter—A young man, competent stenographer and typewriter desires employment. Best of references. Address X., Sun office.

WANTED—Honest man for office. Look after agents. Previous experience not necessary. Small amount of cash required. Address Leonard, Lowell Sun.

WANTED—By American woman situation as nurse or companion to elderly people. Address Mrs. M. Foster, 24 Coburn street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Room with power for light manufacturing, about 20x30. Address P. O. Box 978, city.

WANTED—A second hand refrigerator or ice chest. Address B., Sun office.

WANTED—First class paper hangers and painters. 530 Gorham street.

WANTED—Everywhere. Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. No canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Men to bring their lawn mowers to be sharpened and put in first class condition, by Gonzales the Cutler. Razors concaved and honed. 148 Gorham street. Every job warranted.

RELIABLE MAN to employ and look after canvassers. $60 per month and expenses guaranteed. References required. Clark & Co., 234 S. 4th street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—An unfurnished front room in St. Peter's parish. Call for Miss O'Day, 93 John street.

WANTED—100 boys call at Room 19, St. Lawrence hotel to sell London Champion Silver Polish at 5c. a package. Prize given to the one selling the most. Gold watch or suit of clothes.

LADIES—Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best, safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. in stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Low's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MEALERS and boarders wanted at Central Restaurant, 351 Central street, opposite Union street. Price low. Meals at all hours.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A gold Greek letter pin, with name on back. Reward at 120 Pawtucket street.

LOST—Black coon cat. Liberal reward and no questions at 65 Mt. Vernon street, Lowell.

FOUND—The best place in Lowell for ladies to buy hats, bonnets, sailors, etc. at moderate prices is at No. 516 Merrimack street, Mde. Maxime Lepine, formerly 337 Moody street. Call in and ask prices.

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TO LET—A nicely furnished room, at 719 Merrimack street. Good locality.

TO LET—In North Chelmsford, a fine tenement in a double house, also a barn, ample room for two horses and carriages, water, sewerage and every convenience, rent easy, terms with the right party. Inquire at 415 Middlesex street, F. E. Barney & Co., Grocers.

TO LET—Tenement of 12 rooms, including bath room; all in excellent repair. Suitable for a boarding or apartment house, at 62 Whipple street. Three minutes' walk to the Wamesit Power Co. mills. Rent reasonable. Apply at store down stairs.

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TO LET—Quickly. Rarely any ever vacant houses, tenements and flats, made and kept free from pesky bugs by the use of Dow's Bug Poison. No need to suffer with bugs when a four cents will kill all the scamps. See Dow's 520 Central street.

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TO LET—Two square rooms. Inquire at 719 Merrimack street, corner Austin.

TO LET—Blacksmith shop. Inquire Connors Bros., Thorndike street.

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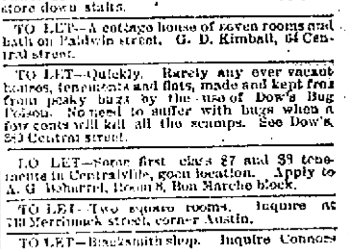

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Regular 10-cent glass of Ice Cream Soda, 5c at Martin's Drug Store.

The Butler Vets leave Lowell tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock to participate in the muster at Natick.

Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Lamoie are happy over the arrival of girl twins. The sponsors are Ernest and Hilda Lamoie, joyful uncle and aunt of the little ones.

"Are they going to fail, or what's the matter?" you will ask when you read O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. Just watch for it.

Mortgage Sale by Public Auction of the MEAT and GROCERY STORE at number 253 Smith street opposite Shaw Hosiery on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, A.D., 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., also one horse, one wagon and one harness. Stock is all new and worthy of your consideration.

Donovan & Mansur, Auctioneers.

FLAHERTY-O'BRIEN.

Martin Flaherty of this city and Jack O'Brien of New York meet at the Lenox A. C. tonight. Martin and his friends are confident he will win, although he is going up against one of the best men in his class.

You can make money by spending money at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s mark-down sale. See Wednesday papers for particulars.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor council was held yesterday afternoon at Building Laborers' hall, with the usual large attendance.

Several communications were received, including a notice from the Boot & Shoe Workers' union of Marlboro to the effect that the strike in that city is still on, notwithstanding the report to the contrary. At the next regular meeting the new delegates will be admitted and the election of officers for the ensuing six months will be held. Action will also be taken on the matter of celebrating Labor Day in a fitting manner.

An invitation to attend the reception to be given Thomas Connelly, Friday night was received.

Money they need, stock is too heavy, these are the reasons for the unusual sale the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. are preparing. See Wednesday's paper for further news.

IN THE RAIN

HOW THE CYCLISTS FARED YESTERDAY.

Yesterday was the worst day the cyclists have experienced this season. Hundreds went to Silver lake and other points outside of the city and were caught in the rain. The spectacle of the drenched cyclists, including many girls, was laughable and yet pitiable. On the return the road was muddy and dangerous. The mud got into the wheels and made them hard to run and then the slipping caused many falls. Every rider that returned in the rain had a stripe of mud thrown from the rear wheel up his back and over his head. Some of the women presented a similar spectacle. Many remained at farmhouses until a late hour and returned after the rain with little trouble. If some of the cyclists did not contract pneumonia yesterday, it was not their fault.

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UNNECESSARY ALARM.

An alarm of fire from box 21 about 11 o'clock yesterday morning was an unnecessary one. Burning meat at the home of Martin Moran at the corner of South and Appleton street which caused much smoke, gave a passerby the impression that a big blaze was in progress.

Dr. Cohen DENTIST 31 MERR. ST.

THE REDS DOWNED

Champions Rubbed it into the Cincinnatis

LEWIS PITCHED A GREAT GAME.

The Result of the Other Games.

CINCINNATI, O., May 29.—All red pitchers look alike to Boston. Phillips was fated to take his medicine in the last game of the series and he got a great big dose.

The Champions were out for the last bin in the Reds' pantry, but after Cincinnati had squeezed out of a couple of bad losses, the crowd, which was of generous half-holiday proportions, settled down with the fond hope of seeing the Reds turn out a winner.

For about five minutes, the porkopolitans' colors were ahead for the first time in the series. It was Dame Fortune, however, who enabled the buckeyes to fluke in the pair of tallies that proved to be their entire stock at the wind-up.

The fickle dame was in a flirtatious mood and Boston got three by luck chances precisely like the one that had given Cincinnati life.

Lewis never pitched a better game of ball in his life. He had speed and in all save one inning good command. His drop ball was a beauty. It came sailing up to the plate with all the earmarks of a high one and then shot downward. Twice he fooled the Reds' $5000 prize package and he made Selbach look foolish.

Most of his strike outs were on drops that were called. Beckley, who a few weeks ago, was not hitting a little bit, is about the only red who has done any stick work against Boston. He found the parson's delivery just to his liking, but fortunately for Boston he stood almost alone with his singles in a desert of pop ups.

Tenney all but had an afternoon off at first for when Reds were not keeping Herman busy they were firing off sky rockets.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	—8
Cincinnati	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Earned runs, Cincinnati, Boston, 5. Two-base hits, Smith, McPhee, Stahl, Stafford, Bergen. Three-base hit, Beckley. Double plays, Corcoran, McPhee and Beckley; Corcoran and Beckley; Miller and Beckley. First on balls, by Phillips, 3, by Lewis, 5. Umpires, Hunt and Connelly. Time 2h. Attendance 1100.

The other games resulted as follows:

New York, 9; Louisville, 6; St. Louis, 7; Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.

Yesterday's games resulted as follows:

Brooklyn, 7; St. Louis, 1.
New York 4; Louisville 3.
Washington, 4; Chicago, 3.
Baltimore 15, Cincinnati, 9.

OTHER GAMES SATURDAY.

Lowell High, 18; Punchard High of Andover 6.
Shamrocks, 16; Emmetts, 12.
Atlantics, 38, Calumets 16.
Columbians 16, Lawrence hosiery 12.
Cracker-Jacks, 20, T. R. & T.'s 18.
Spauldings, 10, Unions 9.
Tigers 34, Silent club, 32.
Beacons, 12; Courier Citizens, 9.

NEW ENGLAND GAME.

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Innovation of priceless value to debilitated men—along with our trial treatment and marvelous developing appliance. Have cured thousands. Will cure you. Never disappoint. No advance pay or C.O.D. If not satisfied return everything to us. Our reputation and record justify our claims.

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Everybody in Lowell is Eligible.

Old people stooped with suffering.
Middle age courageously fighting;
Youth protesting impatiently;
Children, unable to explain;
Baby crying, can't tell why;
All in misery from their kidneys.
Only a little backache first.
Comes when you catch a cold.
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Backache is the first step of kidney trouble.
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Urinary disorders, diabetes, Bright's disease.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure backache.
Cure every form of kidney ills.
Plenty of proof that this is so.

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SPECIAL SALE

OF SMALL WARES, NOTIONS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERY, SILKS, BUTTONS, HOSE SUPPORTERS, ETC.

This Week--COAT THREAD 3c. SPOOL--This Week

Brainerd and Armstrong's Silk, 5c a spool.
Brainerd and Armstrong's Twist, 1c spool.
Brush Binding, 7c, for 4c yard.
Telegram Binding, 6c yard.
Worsted Skirt Braid (4 yards), 5c a piece.
Velvet Binding (4 yards), 7c a piece.
Hose Supporters, cheap at 10c, our price 7c a pair.
Cord Braid, all colors, 3c yard.
No. 1 Dress Shields, 15c pair.
No. 15 Dress Shields, 25c, 10c pair.
Velveteen Binding, (5 yds) 10c piece.
Waste Silk, 4c package.
SPECIAL—Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
15c Hair combs, 8c each.
25c Hair Brushes, 15c each.
5c box Hair Pins, 3c box
Hump Hooks, 1c card.
Darning Cotton, 2c ball.
See Gair's "Queen" Skirt Supporters. Special demonstration this week.
Filo Silk, 2 1-2c skein.
Silkette, the new substitute, 100 yards, 5c roll.
Cut Work Squares, 25c.
Satin Pin Cushions, 9c and upwards.

Dennison's Imperial Crepe Paper, new, all shades, decorations, 19c a roll.
Fancy Bead Edge, 5c yard.
Spangle Trimmings, were $1 to $1.97, now 25c yard.
Aplique Trimmings, were 75c and 95c, now 49c yard.
New Idea Patterns, 10c.
SPECIAL—Black Braid Trimmings, down—down.
Safety Pin Books, 6c book.
5c Stair Binding (3 yds) 2c piece.
10c Stockenette Dress Shields, 7c pair, or 4 for 25c.
Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
200 yards Spool Thread, 1c spool
19c Sterling Dress Stays, 14c doz.
15c Dress Stays, 8c doz.
200 yards Basting Cotton, 1c spool.
Basting Thread, 500 yards, 5c spool.
10c Tooth Brushes, 7c each.
25c Nail Brushes, 15c each.
10c Curling Tongs, 5c pair.
25c Ivory Combs, 5c each.
SPECIAL—Brainard & Armstrong's Twist, 1c Spool.
25c Hose Supporters, fancy web, 19c pair.

Gold Eye Needles, 3c paper.
Linen Finish Thread, 3c spool.
Buttons covered to order in one hour's notice. Any size.
Linen Trays hemstitched, 12 1-2c.
Waist Embroidery Silk, assorted colors, 22c package.
Morse & Kaley Knitting Cotton, 5c ball.
Sofa Pillows, 25c.
Dress Trimmings—The largest line in the city. Read a few specials.
Colored Braid Trimmings which were 10c, now 5c yard.
Fancy Braid Trimmings, were 5 and 10c, now 3c yard.
SPECIAL—Buckles for dress trimmings which were 10c, now 5c.
Feders' Brush Binding, 6c a yard.
Pearl Buttons, 5c doz.
Heavy Pearl Buttons, 10c doz.
Very Fine Pearl Buttons, 15c doz.
Safety Pins, 5c doz.
Gents' Fine Armlets, cheap at 15c. Our price, 6c a pair.
Sewing Silk (100 yds.), 3c spool.
Hair Pins, 10 bunches for 1c.
19c Web Elastic, 10c yard.

10c Feather Stitch Braid, 6c piece.
5c Thimbles, 2c each.
SPECIAL—Pins (full count), 1c a paper.
Invisible Hair Pins 2 1-2c box.
Taffeta Binding (best quality) 10c piece.
Silk Feather Bone, 10c yard.
Twill Covered Bone, 7c yard.
Fancy Trimming Braid, for wash dresses, 4c and 6c yard.
The new Cuff for shirt waist cuffs. Special sale this week.
Cut Work Doylies, 5c.
Linen Floss, 1c skein.
H. B. Tambour Cotton, turkey red, blue and yellow, 1 1-2c spool.
Head rests, 15c.
New Idea Paper Patterns, only 10c each. All sizes, all styles.
Dennison Imperial Crepe Paper, all new, pretty shades, 9c roll.
Aplique Trimmings, were 40c, now 25c yard.
Colored Braid Trimmings, which were 25c, now 10c yard.
Special Spangle Trimmings, which were $1.00 to $1.97, 25c yd.
Fancy Bead Edge, 25c, 10c yard.

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Today we place on sale 50 dozen Percale and Gingham Dresses for children from four months to four years at 25c. each, which no other concern can show for less than double our price.

500 pairs regular 49c. Summer Corsets, with lacings free at only 25c. a pair.

500 Pieces auction Laces and Hamburg Edgings, All Overs and Puffing, Tucking, etc., fell 25 to 50 per cent. under value. For instance, 5 pieces regular 65c. Hamburg, All Over, 25c. yard.

We carry a stock of nearly 100 dozen Reliance House Dresses and Wrappers at from 19c. up to $1.75 each and from 32 to 46 bust measure, made from best Prints, Lawns, Percales. This is a perfect fitting article in all cases.

Novelties in neckwear, Ribbons, Belts, Girdles, Bustless Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Aprons. Come and see, whether you desire to buy or not.

CARDERS AND PICKERS

SEC. CONNOLLY'S CALL FOR SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

Fellow Members of Carders' and Pickers' Textile union: You are all requested to attend the semi-annual meeting of your Union which will be held next Tuesday evening, May 30, at 173 Merrimack street and will be called to order at 8 o'clock precisely.

Let every member make an effort to attend this meeting and aid in choosing a full board of officers, with an executive committee, five collectors, seven delegates to the Trade and Labor Council; also the same number, seven delegates to the Textile Council, and put your active, energetic and ambitious members where they can do most to advance the cause of labor.

—THOMAS F. CONNOLLY, Sec'y.

SPECIAL SALE

OF LADIES' OXFORDS, a line that retail for $1.50 on Monday and Tuesday only.

$1.19 a pair.

J. J. LONERGAN,
215 DUTTON ST.

NINE WERE KILLED

In a Railroad Wreck at Waterloo N.Y.

CARS DERAILED BY A WASH OUT.

Sad Scenes Among Dying and Wounded.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERLOO, Ia., May 29.—The through train from Chicago to Minneapolis over the Rock Island and Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railways, was wrecked at 1.15 yesterday morning at the crossing of Sink Creek about four miles southeast of this place. The train consisted of six coaches, including mail and baggage car, smoking car, two passenger coaches and sleeper. Nine persons were killed and 23 injured. The dead are: E. L. Arnold, lumberman, Minneapolis; W. A. McLaughlin, Muskegon, Mich.; R. H. Schwette, Alton, Ill.; David Halle, Minneapolis; F. S. Carpenter, St. Louis; —— Hawkins, Pullman conductor; George Wainwright, train conductor; Wm. Schollian, Waterloo, and one unknown person.

The engine struck the washout and was derailed in the ditch, and behind it the cars were piled up in a confused heap. The mail car tipped over and was telescoped by the baggage car, while the rear end of the baggage car in turn telescoped the smoker. The roof of the sleeper ploughed its way through the day coach while the lower half of the latter crashed through the sleeper. The engineer and fireman jumped and escaped with slight injuries.

Mr. Schwette was brought to this city alive but died at 8 o'clock. He was on his way to Minneapolis where he was to be married today. He asked his physician to telegraph his father and his sweetheart. "Tell her," he gasped, "that I have been detained by a wreck and cannot keep the appointment on time. Don't say any more." Then he lapsed into unconsciousness and died.

This was but one of many affecting scenes of the wreck.

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," cold weather in the month of May badly overstocked the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., but the public will get the benefit in the gigantic mark-down sale they are preparing. See Wednesday's papers for particulars.

SACRED HEART BAZAAR.

The fair which has been going on at the Sacred Heart school hall came to a close Saturday after a successful run of two weeks, and it was a grand success. The following were the lucky ones, as they were the winners of the large prizes: 5000 feet of land, Miss L. Fisher, 17 London street. $25, E. F. McGlone; dinner set, Minnie McKeown, Newhall street; parlor lamp, O. E. Barril, 102 Chelmsford street; stove, Rev. Fr. Gigault of the Immaculate Conception church; velvet couch, Mrs. Barrows, 19 Newhall street; barrel of flour, Lawrence Farley, Chapel street. The following named persons were the winners for selling the largest number of season tickets: Sarah Daley, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Donahue, and Miss Flanigan.

The other awards will be announced on Thursday.

$50,000 is needed by O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., and to raise it at once they are preparing a gigantic sacrifice sale of their entire stock. Read their advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

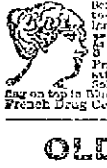
DR. MARTEL'S BOOK,

"Relief for Women"

Sent free, in plain, sealed envelope. Write today for this book, containing Particulars and Testimonials of DR. MARTEL'S

French Female Pills.

Praised by thousands of satisfied ladies as safe, always reliable and without an equal. Sold by all druggists in metal box, French flag on top in Blue, White and Red. Take no other. French Drug Co., 381 & 383 Pearl St., New York City.



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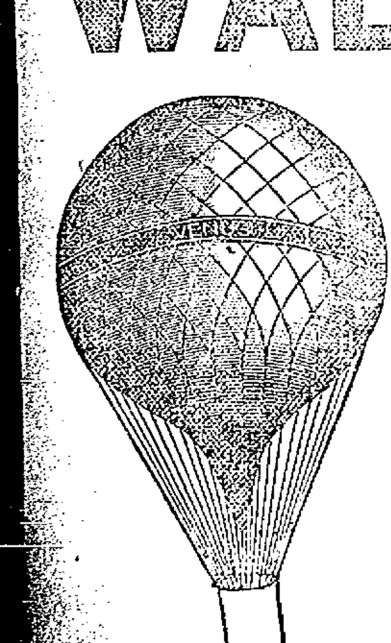
TUESDAY, MEMORAL DAY, TOMORROW.

Prof. Kabrich will distribute 25 deeds of WALBROOK LOTS to ease, without cost, the heart aches of the lucky finders. Why ease the heart aches? Because many will be disappointed on the noon of Tuesday, when, perchance, they will find that all the saleable lots in WALBROOK have been sold. It looks that way now. In any event we shall reserve 25 lots, the deeds of which are to be hurled from the crystal battlements of the GREAT ASCENDING AIRSHIP ABOVE WALBROOK. Races, Games, Sports, etc., are the order of the day. The Prizes to consist of WALBROOK LOTS, Silverware, Watches, etc. Come early and bring your knitting. You'll find the latch-string out or else the door "open, wide open," and the key thrown away. Arrangements have been made with the Street Railway Company to run cars to Walbrook every 3 minutes during the afternoon of Tuesday, Memorial Day. It is rumoured that the selectmen of Dracut contemplate holding a special session this week to canvass the advisability of changing the name of the "Navy Yard" Village to WALBROOK. The name WALBROOK is in the AIR, and the name has a certain gentlemanly AIR ABOUT It. The people are contrasting WALBROOK LOTS and prices against these and those of and in other localities. Result—we cannot prepare the papers fast enough to satisfy the demands of our lot purchasers in WALBROOK.

A trolly car passes WALBROOK ever ninety seconds. 5c. fare from WALBROOK to any part of Lowell.



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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK.

THE DREYFUS CASE

Again Before the Court of Cassation

A Large Attendance at the Opening Session When the Application for Revision Was Called up.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, May 29—The Court of Cassation met today to hear the debates in the application for a revision of the Dreyfus case.

The procedure will consist of the reading of the report of the civil section of the court, M. Ballot de Beaupre; a speech by Maitre Mornard, Consei for Mme. Dreyfus and an address upon the part of the public posecutor, M. Manu, after which the court will retire to deliberate upon a verdict, which, it is expected, will be rendered on Friday or Saturday.

The doors of the Palace of Justice were opened at 11 o'clock. Persons connected with the case, newspapermen and others, began to arrive half an hour previously. There was much animation in the lobbies of the Palace, but the crowds in the vicinity were not numerous.

The witnesses who have testified in the Dreyfus case were admitted by a door on the left of the palace and those connected with the trial of Mm. Deroulede and Marcel Babert, for inciting soldiers to insubordination in connection with the election of President Loubert, which is also before the court today, were admitted by a door on the right of the building.

FUNERALS.

PEPIN—The funeral services of P. Thomas Pepin were held Saturday afternoon at the home of his brother, 18 Phillips street. Rev. C. E. Fisher officiated and H. W. Brown sang. The bearers were Albert French, Miles Gardner, J. Stahl and W. H. Gerrish. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Weinbeck.

MORSE—The funeral services of S. Warren Morse, were held at his late home in Pine street at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. George N. Howard of Melrose, assisted by Rev. A. E. Wilson officiated. The body was taken to Northwood, N. H., for burial.

GOODALE—The funeral services of Nancy A. Goodale were held at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Edson cemetery chapel, prayers having been said at 1.30 o'clock at the home of the deceased, 727 Varnum avenue. Rev. R. A. Greene officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. C. M. Young & Co were in charge.

FOSTER—The funeral services of Lucinda C. Foster were held Sunday afternoon at her late home, 209 Cabot street. Rev. F. A. Warfield officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young & Co.

BIBEAULT—The funeral services of Exilda Bibeault, wife of Alphonse Bibeault, a well known local contractor, who died suddenly at her home, 513 Wilder street, on Friday afternoon, were held this morning at St. Jean Baptise church where several hundred friends of the deceased besides those who attended the funeral gathered and occupied seats throughout the service.

A solemn high mass which was sung by Rev. Fr. Sirois, O.M.I. began at 10 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Marion, O.M.I., was deacon and Rev Fr. Amyot, O.M.I., sub deacon. A large chorus of local church choir members under the direction of Dr. George E. Caisse rendered the Schmidt requiem and several beautiful selections, including Leybach's "Pie Jesu," at the offertory by Miss Rose Caisse were rendered. In the congregation was a large number of prominent residents. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery where the interment took place, services were held by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O.M.I. The bearers were Louis P. Turcotte, Hermadais Arvisais, J. W. Paradis, F. L. Richard, Hubert Deneault and John Vincent. Undertaker Albert had charge. Among the pretty floral tributes were: Palms and roses, Philip Connors; roses, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett; sheaf of wheat, Phillas David; anchor, Philas Brouillette; lyre, Burnham & Davis; palms and pinks, Camille Roussin; pinks, C. H. Chagnon; roses, Miss M. G. Cossette; pinks, Mr. and Mrs. H. Maynard; circle, broken by scythe, Parthenais Bros.; crescent and star on base, "Friend." Rivet and Hamil; cross, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vincent.

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DEATHS.

WALSH—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Walsh, the former the popular pressman at the J. C. Ayer Co., will be pained to hear of the sudden death of their oldest child, Lawrence W. Walsh, aged seven years, who died of scarlet fever last evening, after an illness of only two days. Owing to the nature of the case, the remains were interred early this morning in the Catholic cemetery. The death and its surrounding circumstances are particularly sad, as the family moved here from Medford Hillside but a few weeks ago.

FARR—Royal Edward Farr died yesterday at the home of his parents, William and Mattie Farr, 57 Andrew street, aged one month and eighteen days.

McLAUGHLIN—The death of Miss Carrie McLaughlin, which occurred Sunday at No. 58 Blossom street, is a sad affliction. She was 23 years of age and the daughter of John A. and Susan McLaughlin. Her father and one brother survive her. Her mother died a few years ago. Her home was at No. 59 Merrimack corporation.

McCUE—Miss Eliza J. McCue, aged 59 years, died Saturday night at her home, 223 Cross street. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters.

HOWARTH—Miss Susanna Howarth wife of Eli Howarth, died Saturday at her home, 59 Adams street, aged 43 years.

RILEY—Mrs. Ann Riley, wife of Philip Riley, a well known employe of the Hamilton Print works, passed away this morning at her home, 8 Cedar street after an illness of three months. Deceased was 56 years old and leaves besides her husband, four daughters, Misses Mary E., Kittie, Gertrude and Margaret; also two sisters, Mrs. A. P. Pearson and Miss Kittie Baxter of Roxbury and one brother, Andrew Baxter. Funeral Wednesday morning from St. Peter's church.

GORMLEY—Mrs. Ella Gormley died this morning at the home of her nephew, Mr. John Cox of 623 Central street. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Patrick Shea of Boston and one sister, Mrs. Patrick McCullough.

McGUIRK—James F., son of James and Margaret McGuirk, died yesterday at their home, 6 Brown's court, off Lakeview avenue, aged one year and seven months. The funeral took place this afternoon in charge of Undertaker Davey and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

RANEY—James, son of William P., and Mary J. Raney, died yesterday at their home, 16 Elmwood avenue, aged three years. Funeral this afternoon. Burial in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Davey.

NELSON—Margaret, daughter of William and Bridget Nelson, died yesterday at their home, 5 Bassett street, aged one year and two months.

Just the Thing for a Wedding Gift.

A Piano Polish, Mother of Pearl Inlaid, Arm Rocker, Wood or Leather Seat, Quartered Oak or Mahogany Finish, well worth and sold to date for $5.00. Price this week.

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That's $1.10 out of your pocket and into yours, and $2.10 if you have the bad habits of buying elsewhere; and it will draw you to our store and make a regular customer for The People's Favorite Furniture Store.

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HONORED THE DEAD

Veterans of Two Wars Attend Memorial Service

And Listen to the Patriotic Discourses of Eloquent Preachers in Touching Eulogy of the Dead Heroes of the Spanish and Civil Wars.

The religious observance of Memorial Day took place yesterday and veterans, young and old, attended in uniform the services at the different Protestant churches and listened to the eloquent and patriotic discourses in honor of the departed.

The union memorial service of the G. A. R. posts took place yesterday afternoon at the Kirk street church.

There was a large attendance of the veterans and the women belonging to the societies affiliated with the posts but the military funeral in another church at the same hour kept away many people who otherwise would have attended.

The platform in front of the auditorium had been handsomely decorated with bunting and flowers and stands of arms.

The exercises opened with an organ prelude by Arthur C. Spaulding, which was followed by Keller's American hymn sung by the Apollo quartette. Rev. L. W. Staples read from the Scriptures and there was prayer by Rev. C. L. Merriam. The roll of the dead was then read by the adjutants of the three posts. Adj. George F. Worthen, Adj. F. E. Butler, and Adj. Frank C. Adams. The roll was as follows:

Post 42, Lieut. Col. James Francis, First Sergt. William H. Noonan, Privates Thomas Cook, Peter McGovern, Leonard T. Farris, Michael Tulley.

Post 102; Privates Charles W. Wyman, Michael Flynn, James G. Clark, Stephen J. Smiley, Musician Charles W. Brigham.

Post 185: Lieut. Edward W. Thompson, Sergt. Charles F. Emerson, Privates Albion J. Lamphere, William W. Burrows, Daniel A. Brown, Samuel Osgood, John H. Nichols, William H. Colback, James W. Patchen, Charles E. Andrews.

Andrews.

The bugle call for the dead was played by Bugler Francis Riggs of Co. C, Sixth Massachusetts. The quartet then sang "The Vacant Chair" and after a prayer by Rev. Asa R. Dilts, Edward B. Wirt sang the solo, "Thy Will Be Done."

The sermon was preached by Rev. William A. Bartlett. His subject was "Lincoln and Grant; Types of American Manhood."

The sermon was a beautiful effort and made a deep impression upon the large congregation. The services closed with the singing of "America."

AT FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the morning service in the First Baptist church, the members of Post 42, Post 120 and Companies M of the Ninth regiment and C and G of the Sixth accompanied by the four women's auxiliaries to the G. A. R. posts were in attendance, taxing the seating capacity of the church. The chorus choir of the church rendered a program of patriotic selections.

Rev. A. E. Wilson delivered a stirring address on "Our Heroes, Living and Dead," and in the course of his remarks said:

"Again gathered in a Christian century on a Sabbath near a national holiday that for 31 years has taken so strong a hold on the national life, we welcome as our guests the veterans of the civil war, the soldiers in the war with Spain, and the honorable women, members of associations ever helpful where ready hands and true and loving hearts are needed.

"Veterans, you were young men in '61; in '99 you are young no longer. Some of you felt sad that you could not do as you once could, when the bugle sounded and the president again called for men to protect the flag. You were made glad, veterans, as you heard the tramp of young men with as great a love for the old flag and as true devotion to the country that had nursed them into manhood. You were ready, veterans, with a 'God bless you' and with kindest thoughts and prayers and just pride in them. You did not watch these young men with jealousy but with the pride of a father.

"Veterans, when our good president called you into the service, it was to rescue from unhallowed hands that flag that had been torn down and trampled into the dust. It was to settle the question whether the severing knife of secession should cut in twain this fair republic it was to settle the question whether the liberty-loving sons of the north should bow in humble subjection to slavery. The history of those four years has been written by many a pen, but more indelibly written upon the sacred tablets of memory. April 9, 1865, Lee surrendered to Grant. Ah, that was a grand army. The bravest blood of the north and south flowing together cemented indissolubly the states of this union.

"During the past year, history has been making fast. Today the prayers of the good are with the peace conference and though many of us are skeptical in regard to the outcome of this conference, yet I am glad that this question is agitated and I look forward with fervent hope into the distant ages if not years, when men shall learn war no more.

"I regard the cry of imperialism as unjust and I pray and trust that the attitude of the nation in coming years will best subserve the sacred rights of all wherever the starry banner shall float. We are reminded today of the devoted women who went forth from the higher and the humbler walks of life as ministering angels. All tender memories come upon us and the sweetest words of praise should be given to those noble women. Veterans, you may scatter flowers over those graves with pride and gratitude and love.

"Veterans, it was but yesterday, it seems, that you saw death in all its horror, sweeping down scores of your brothers in arms, yet you quailed not. But the day after tomorrow there will come back to you memories, and the tears unbidden will fall down your cheeks. Check them not. They are the most eloquent tribute to the memory of your fallen comrades."

OTHER SERVICES.

Post 185, G. A. R., attended morning service in the Kirk street church and Rev. Mr. Bartlett preached on "The Peace Congress," his text being "There was a war in heaven."

At the First Baptist church, in the evening, Rev. S. T. Ford preached a Memorial Day sermon, his subject being "The Call of the Hour." The text was from Joshua, 1, 2: "Moses, my servant, is dead; now, therefore, arise." Patriotic selections were sung by the choir and a striking feature of the service was the Memorial hymn, written by Rev. Dr. A. Blackburn, formerly pastor of that church. It was sung by Mrs. W. H. Pepin, with exquisite expressiveness.

Wauhatchie Command of the Union Veterans' union, Col. George H. Smith commander, attended service at the John street church, having seats in the main aisle. They were accompanied by many friends who materially increased the usual congregation. The pastor, Rev. George H. Johnson, had chosen for his theme "The Endless War."

The people of the First Universalist church listened to a brief though eloquent Memorial Day address by their pastor, Rev. C. E. Fisher, last night. He spoke on "Our Country."

Sunday morning 21 members of the Chelmsford Veterans' association, H. S. Perham, commander, attended divine service at All Saints' church and listened to an excellent discourse by the rector, Rev. Wilson Waters. In recognition of the special occasion, there were tasteful floral decorations and the national colors were conspicuously displayed. The singing by the choir of young women under the direction of the rector was very good, a special number being "Blessed is the people whose God is the Lord." Miss Emma Fausche was organist. Mr. Waters' text was a part of the ninth verse of the eighth chapter of Matthew, "I am a man under authority, having soldiers under me."

THAT JAIL FIRE

Looks Like an Incendiarys Work.

Since the inspector of wires announced after an investigation that the fire in the stable of the jail was not caused by defective wires and the jail officials have stated positively that there was no fire kept in the stable, it looks as if the fire had been caused by an incendiary, strange as such a happening in a jail may appear.

Several residents of the vicinity of the jail are positive that they saw a man vault over the jail yard fence a few hours before the fire.

At 10 o'clock Thursday night, three young ladies and a young man were riding wheels under the glare of the electric light at the end of Hale street bridge and saw three men standing at the corner of Railroad and Hale streets. Then they saw a man get over the jail fence from the inside and join the three men. Then all walked down Railroad street leisurely and they were not seen again. The people on the bridge were surprised at the sight of a man going over the fence and when they heard of the fire the incident came back to them and they circulated it.

CAPT. TILLEY DEAD

Head of the Signal Service Shot Down.

Lured to Cable House by a White Flag—The Insurrection Takes on New Lease of Life—Americans Forced to Feed the Helpless Filipinos.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 29.—11.25 a. m.—Captain Tilley of the Signal Corps, with a detachment made up of other members of the corps landed at Escalante, on the Island of Negros, to pick up and repair the cable. The natives had a white flag flying over the cable house when the party landed. The latter, however, were no sooner on shore than they were fired upon by the natives. They at once took to the water, and a number of them were picked up by a boat, but Captain Tilley and two native men of the party are missing. General Smith, with a detachment of troops, has started on board a gunboat to investigate the affair.

The transports Senator and Ohio arrived today.

INSURGENTS MORE AGGRESSIVE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 28.—The approach of the wet season finds the insurrection seemingly taking a new lease of life. All along the American lines the rebels are showing more aggressive activity, in their guerilla style, than at any time before the fall of Malolos. They keep the United States troops in the trenches, sleeping in their clothing, and constantly on the alert against dashes upon our outposts; and they make it too warm for the American garrisons in the towns.

The bands of Gen. Luna and Gen. Mascardo, which retreated towards Tarlic when they feared they would be caught between Gen. MacArthur and Gen. Lawton, have returned in force to their old trenches around San Fernando, where there are daily collisions.

Opposite our lines on the south, protecting Manila, all the way around to San Pedro Macati, the Filipinos have three rows of trenches most of the distance.

Reports from prisoners indicate that the insurgents construe the peace negotiations to mean that the Americans have had enough of fighting. The Filipinos are also encouraged by the belief that the Americans are preparing for an interval of inactivity during the wet season.

This period is sure to be followed by much suffering. Thousands of acres that were under cultivation last year have not been ploughed this, and the government will probably be obliged to feed thousands, just as it fed the Cubans.

AGUINALDO REPORTED DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The Sun this morning prints the following cablegram:

"MANILA, May 28.—The Spanish newspapers publish a report that is impossible of confirmation, to the effect that Aguinaldo is dead.

"The cause of his death, the papers say, is not exactly known, but they declare that he either committed suicide or was assassinated."

The Mathews play two games Memorial day, one at Nashua in the forenoon at 10 o'clock. The afternoon game will be at Mountain Rock grounds at 3 p. m., with the Nashua club. The Nashua team is leading in the Trolley League with the Mathews of this city a close second. If the Mats take the two games they will be in first position, and they will do their utmost to do so. The Nashua club is putting up a strong game and in Dick Laroche and Jimmy Shues, Fred Reynolds and Jimmy Ryan, they have two batteries hard to equal. The Mats will have three pitchers and two catchers for Memorial Day. Catchers: Hoyle and Dunlavey. Pitchers: Fahey, Grimes and Leslie. The Nashua club has three Lowell men in their team: Jimmy Shues, Billy McGuirk and Geo. Thorne.

Brighten up your lawn with the fertilizer sold by W. E. Livingston, No. 15 Thorndike street.

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We Have Just Received

from a famous manufacturer between a thousand and twelve hundred Boys' Blouses, all in handsome patterns and made with Woven Cheviots or Garner Percales. The price paid for the lot was far below the actual value of the goods. We shall give you the benefit of our low offer and cash purchase.

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Neat patterns in stripes and checks, medium and dark colors; sizes 8 years to 14; real value 25 cents.

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Percale Blouses, sizes 8 years to 14. Made from new patterns in light grounds, reds and blues, real value 35 cents.

38c for Boys' Best

Garner Percale Blouses, light ground, red light blue and navy grounds; are printed from French designs; sizes 8 years to 14; real value 50 cents.

23 Cents.

for Fauntleroy Blouses; sizes 3 years to 10; deep ruffled collar, front and cuffs; Garner Percales in new designs; real value 35 cents.

38 Cents

for Fauntleroy Blouses; sizes 3 years to 10; French designs on light, bright red, light blue and navy grounds, real value 50 cents.

PUTNAM & SON,

166 Central Street.

THE SUN EXTRA

PUT TO DEATH

Adrian Braun Executed at Sing Sing.

FOR THE MURDER OF HIS WIFE.

A Story of the Horrible Crime.

HE KILLED WIFE IN JAIL

When She Brought Him Some Delicacies.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Adrian Braun was put to death by electricity in Sing Sing prison today for murder of his wife. A current of 1800 volts was turned on at 9.17 a m., and at 9.18 Braun was declared to be dead by the attending physicians. A second shock was given for ten seconds. The execution was successful.

Braun killed his wife in Sing Sing prison on March 5, 1898. He stabbed her in the throat with a potato knife severing her windpipe. At the time of the murder Braun was serving a two year term in the prison for wife beating. His wife visited him frequently and on the day she met her death, she carried him some delicacies of which he was fond. Braun, who was employed in the prison as a potato peeler, went to the visitors room to see her and secreted a knife in his clothes. The two conversed together in the most friendly way until the prison detective told them their time was up. Braun pleaded for a few extra minutes and his wish was granted. Suddenly he stood up with a long sharp pointed potato knife in his hand. He brought it down with fearful force against the left side of his wife's neck. With one cut he severed the jugular vein and the main artery in the neck. Before the detective could reach him he plunged the knife several times into the woman's body. The detective seized him and the keepers at once searched him. Another potato knife was found concealed in his clothing. This the authorities believe, he intended to use to kill himself.

BLESSINGTON PROPERTY SOLD.

The auction sale of the Blessington property, corner of Central and Charles street Saturday afternoon was largely attended and the bidding was very spirited between Messrs. Wheelock, Dunn, Watson and Boyle, but was struck off to Mr. John Boyle for $8275. It was the general opinion that the price obtained for very good for the present market of real estate. Auctioneer C. F. Keyes was in charge.

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Middlesex ss.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Mary Davis of Lowell in said County, that she was lawfully married to Louis Davis, now of parts unknown, at Randolph, in the state of Vermont, on the twenty-second day of November, A. D. 1855 [illegible] that your libellant and the said Louis Davis lived together as husband and wife in [illegible] that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Louis Davis being wholly regardless of the same, at said Lowell on [illegible] day of April, A. D. 1884 utterly deserted your libellant and has ever since continued such desertion for more than three consecutive years before the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Louis Davis.

Dated this sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1899.

MARY X DAVIS.
mark.

Witness to mark, Bernard D. O'Connell.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss.

Superior Court, May 29th, A. D. 1899.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of July next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of July, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

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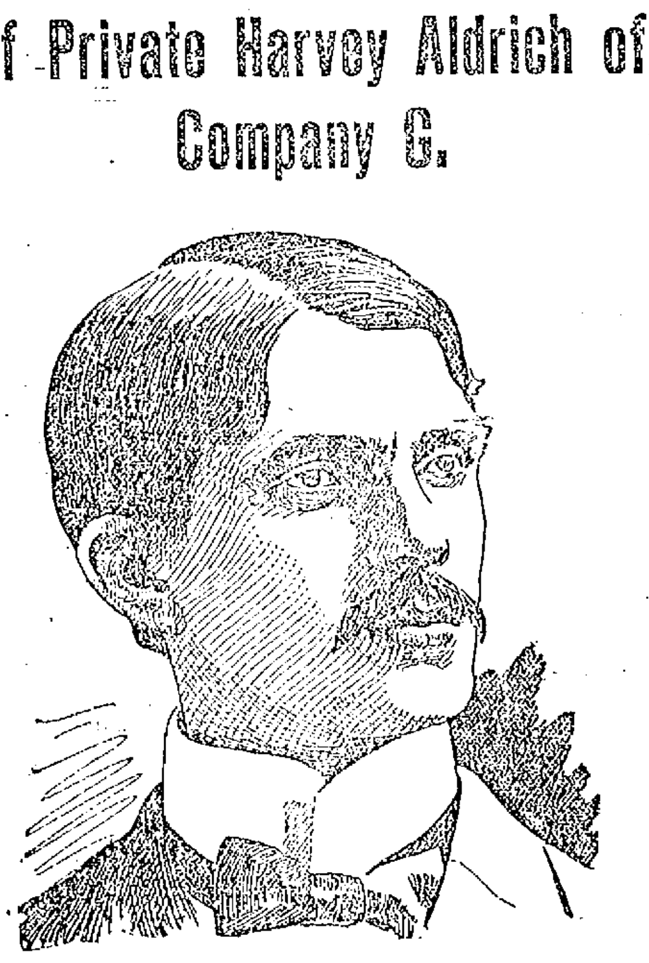
THE SUN LATEST!

5 O'CLOCK

FINAL MUSTER OUT

Of Private Harvey Aldrich of Company G.



The Late PRIVATE HARVEY M. ALDRICH.

Impressive Service at First Baptist Church—Stirring Eulogy by Rev. Smith T. Ford—Military Honors to the Dead Soldier.

With full military honors, all that was mortal of the late Private Harvey M. Aldrich was laid to rest in the Edson cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Shortly after 1 o'clock prayer was offered at the residence, 29 Washington street by Rev. Smith T. Ford in the presence of a large number of friends relatives and neighbors of the deceased, the military and fraternal organizations remaining drawn up in line "face front" on the street outside the windows. As the remains were being borne from the house enclosed in a steel gray casket, wrapped up in the American flag, the Lowell Military band performed with great feeling and effect Misaud's "To Unknown Heroes." Then the journey began to the church through Washington, to Hale, Cambridge, Chelmsford, Appleton, Church and George streets. The sidewalks and streets along the route traversed were lined with people, as were the thoroughfares adjacent to the First Baptist church where the funeral services were held, but Lieut. Webster with a detail of the day shift of the police department kept the crowds at a respectful distance so as not to interfere with the funeral procession.

The ushers from Company G were Privates Crowell, Doyle, Kenney, Delmore, Brackley and Haskell, and they were assisted in their duties by the regular ushers of the church. Long before two o'clock, the friends of the deceased began to arrive but the combined corps of ushers was efficient to take care of the gathering. For awhile the general public remained outside of the auditorium but the galleries were filled early. A large delegation of Elrene lodge arrived and was given a place on the right of the church.

When the body was brought into the church the band performed "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and Mr. A. F. French performed a funeral march on the organ.

The front of the pulpit platform was draped with black and white and the banisters leading to the pulpit with red, white and blue bunting. When the flowers arrived they were arranged on small tables below the pulpit and surrounding the large gilt-framed picture of the dead soldier. Several of the ladies of the church assisted the ushers in the arrangement.

The service began at 2.30 when Rev. S. T. Ford and Rev. Thomas Sayers entered the auditorium by the center door, the former reading a passage of scripture, "I am the Resurrection and the Life." They were immediately followed by Captain Carr of Company G and the casket containing the remains of Private Aldrich, borne by the eight bearers and covered with an American flag. Next followed the mourners and friends, including Major Greig and ex-Mayor Bennett. Then came the members of the military companies and volunteers and the public and when all were seated, the quartet consisting of Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Miss Lena Reid, Mr. Oscar Walsh and Mr. Warren T. Reid feelingly rendered "Sometime We'll Understand."

"Not now, but in the coming years,
 It may be in the better land,
We'll read the meaning of our tears,
 And there sometime we'll understand.
Then trust in God, thro' all thy days
 Fear not for He doth hold thy hand.
Tho' dark the way, still sing and praise,
 Sometime We'll Understand."

Rev. Thos. Sayers then invoked the divine blessing and also read the scripture lesson, after which the quartet sang "I'm Going Home."

My heavenly home is bright and fair,
Nor pain nor death can enter there;
I'm going home, I'm going home,
I'm going home to die no more."

After Rev. Mr. Ford sought the divine blessing, the quartet rendered "Abide With Me" and the former then began his eulogy with the following appropriate words:

The muffled drum's sad roll has beat
 The soldiers' last tattoo.
No more on life's parade shall meet
 That brave and fallen few.
On fame's eternal camping ground,
 Their silent tents are spread,
And glory guards with solemn sound
 The bivouac of the dead."

Pastor Ford then spoke in part as follows: "There is something strangely beautiful that on this day when all through our beloved land the comrades of the G. A. R. gather in sacred service having in mind the decoration of the graves of their dead heroes, it has become our solemn duty to pay a tribute of respect and high honor to one who belonged to our great army. He was a part of the nation's army, one who bared his bosom to the storm of battle and gave himself which is the most that anyone could give, to his country and to his country's call. While from year to year, we gather to strew flowers on the graves of the heroic dead, the blossoms will fall on the sod above the brow of him whose comradeship, whose suffering and whose kinship in a great cause unites him with those who struggled at Concord and Lexington, of those who charged up Malvern Hill or stood at old Appomattox; unites him with all he loved, the flag and liberty, and he counted the nation's honor more than life itself.

He is a part of the nation now because his heart throbbed with the nation's anguish. He indeed is more a part of the nation than we are. He belonged more to the world than to the

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OPERATIVES OUT

Accident in Carpet Mills This Morning.

A steam pipe on one of the boilers in the Carpets mills broke down shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon, necessitating a shut down of nearly all the departments of the great plant. The operatives were told to return to work this afternoon and it is thus expected that the break will be speedily remedied.

AMBULANCES CASES

BICYCLIST'S HIP FRACTURED—MAN FELL FROM NASHUA CAR.

William Davidson of 780 Gorham street, was thrown from his bicycle yesterday morning on Upper Gorham street and had his hip fractured. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital.

A man named George McMullen was hurled from a Nashua car at the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street at about 7 o'clock last night and was severely bruised about the head. The ambulance was summoned and it had got as far as the corner of Bridge street on its way to St. John's hospital, when McMullen, who by this time was confident that he could walk refused to go any farther.

NOTICE REMOVAL.

On and after the present date, I shall vacate my law office in Glidden Building and take office in Tyler's block, 71 Central street, corner Market.

—F. C. Wright,

Lowell, Mass., June 1st, 1899.

John F. Crowley, better known as "Jaspar" formerly of the Park Exchange, has accepted a position with W. H. Hadley, manager of the Interstate Household and Mackintosh Supply Co., of Providence, R. I.

HOMING BIRDS

COMPETED IN A FINE RACE SATURDAY.

Thirty-nine birds of the Lowell homing club competed in the second old bird race Saturday from Hartford, Conn., to this city, a distance of 100 miles.

The birds were liberated by Mr. Turnbull in Hartford and were out 2 hours, 45 minutes. The weather was fair for flying and the wind southwest.

The competitors had the following number of birds in the fly: Dyer, 10; Youngjohns, 12; Fletcher, 5; Conroy, 7; Sanley 3; Fralich 2.

Following were the winners: Dyer first, second and third, average speed of birds, 1035, 1031 and 1022 yards per minute respectively; Youngjohns 4th and 5th, average speed of 992 and 978 yards per minute, respectively. Youngjohn's birds also won sixth, seventh eighth, ninth and tenth places.

The fly next Saturday will be from Paterson, N. J., to Lowell, 200 miles.

FELL INTO A SCUTTLE.

Florence O'Neil, an employe of the Lowell Machine shop fell into a scuttle while at work this morning and was severely bruised about the head. He was removed to the corporation hospital in the ambulance. After having his wounds attended to he was able to walk to his home on the Merrimack corporation.

CITY HALL NOTES

Purchasing Agent Barrett on Saturday purchased a 15-ton Buffalo, Pitts steam road roller for the city at a cost of $3630.

The contract for five tons of lead for the water department was let out to John Ryan at $4.65 per hundred.

The committee on ordinances and legislation and the committee on streets will meet at 7.30 tonight, and the school board will meet at 8 o'clock.

The red books for 1899 have been distributed in such manner that many who are entitled to them cannot get any. For instance, City Messenger Fagan has on his desk 15 or more red books, sent him by the messengers of other cities, and he is unable to return the compliment.

The marriage of Purchasing Agent Barrett to Miss Lillian Farrell will take place on Wednesday, June 7.

About the meanest thing a man can do is to send a woman on any errand he hesitates to undertake for himself.

Ex-Supt. Doherty has returned from Pennsylvania.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT.

The annual field day of the High school regiment is being held on the Fair Grounds today. A march was made this noon to the grounds through the principal streets. Company and individual prizes are offered for excellence in drill.

DIED HOMELESS

Alex Smith Passed Away in Ladd House

Alex. Smith, a homeless and apparently friendless man, about 45 years of age, died early this morning in the Ladd House, a cheap lodging house on Middlesex street, consumption evidently having caused his death.

Smith once worked in the Hamilton Dye House but misfortune overtook him and last year found him a sort of janitor at the Ladd House, where he died. Some time in June, he suddenly left Lowell and no more was heard of him until a few months ago, when he wrote a letter dated at Brattleboro, Vt., to Mrs. Ladd in which he gave evidence of great despondency.

On Saturday, he made his appearance at Mrs. Ladd's and being in a terrible physical condition was given a bed on the lower floor, the 10-cent apartments, for he was unable to walk upstairs.

Yesterday, Mrs. Ladd advised him to allow her to get the ambulance to remove him to the hospital, but Smith asked her to wait until today.

He then grew rapidly worse and died this morning. His body gives evidence of long illness and exposure.

Nothing is known of Smith except that he was a widower and is supposed to have a daughter living.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department took charge of the remains.

POLICE COURT

A VERY LARGE GRIST BEFORE JUDGE HADLEY.

There were 46 drunks before Judge Hadley this morning, of which number twenty-three were arrested in Dracut and four from the Lawrence cars. Of the number Timothy J. Bresnahan, Minnie Kennedy and Hugh Molloy were each fined $10. Eleven were fined $6; four were fined $5 and one $3.

Of the sentences Mary D. Cote and Bridget McSorley each received three months in jail.

The following cases were continued: Martin Rainville and Henry St. George for drunkenness and violation of liquor law; Joseph Provost, drunkenness; and Maria Shinley, assault and battery.

The continued case of Joseph Reilly was further continued.

HIS LEG BROKEN.

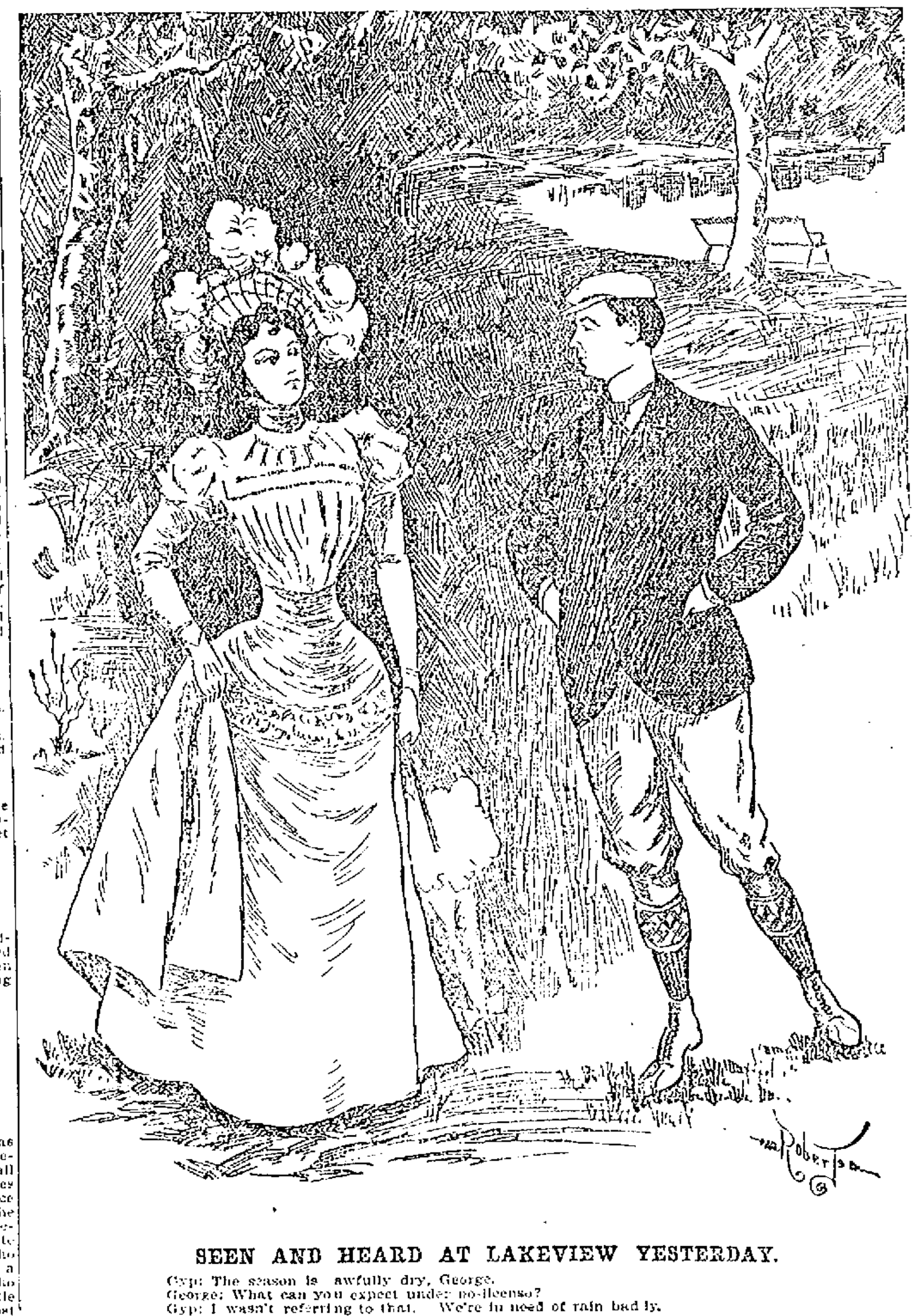
Edward Foster, residing on the Tremont corporation and employed by Connors' brothers had his right leg severely crushed and broken by a heavy stone which he was removing from a freight car to his employers' team in Jackson street this morning. The ambulance, which was summoned, took him to St. John's hospital.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

John J. Lacey, 28, Mary A. Blakeney, 24; William F. Latour, 23, Mary J. Gordan, 25; Charles W. Wakefield, 50, Hattie G. Wills, 28; Belanie Richard, 38, Leocadie Paradis, 28; Joseph Michaud, 29, Leontine D. Amols, 20; Harry J. Whitney, 22, Sadie E. Pillsbury, 22.

Wanted, 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

The Collinsville mills started up this morning on full time.



SEEN AND HEARD AT LAKEVIEW YESTERDAY.

Gyp: The season is awfully dry, George.
George: What can you expect under no-license?
Gyp: I wasn't referring to that. We're in need of rain badly.
George: Yes, particularly in the city.
Gyp: And why there?
George: Oh, the water supply is getting short. Can't get anything else to drink.

"Two Heads Are Better Than One.

One, however, is the portion allotted to the average mortal. If this one aches and will not work properly, it is worse than none. Then the stomach is blamed, or the kidneys and liver are censured. But as a fact, the blood is solely responsible for the condition of these organs. Purify it and they will be made healthy.

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It is like loitering in the enchanted gardens of the imagination, but here the beauty is real, and it is combined with the useful in our own inimitable manner. And beauty and vitality are cheap—too—if purchased here, as the ladies of this community have long ago discovered.

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FINAL MUSTER OUT.

(Continued.)

nation and with others ranks as a benefactor. But there is no more honor due to him than to the others who shared the perils of the war but were saved and came home to aid us in this sacred service.

Several lessons suggest themselves to me as the result of that struggle brief though it was. This soldier had a part in the struggle for the nation's honor and it was never mine to lift my voice with "Remember the Maine." I believe that never again will there be such a tragedy as that which was enacted in the harbor of Havana. The world had not then learned to give due respect to this country and to its valor. Hereafter American honor will be more respected and the principles for which America stands will be respected more because the world has found out that American institutions can produce that which the world has never before produced. This man's life was given for human liberty that others might possess that which you found of worth. Those for whom you struggled may hardly seem to be worth it and I can't help feeling that lives like this and the lives of Rucklidge and Bellamy and others were too precious to be given for every one. Yet here comes in a sublime lesson of the gospel. We are growing into it and we are better because of it. We may feel that the price was too great for the freedom of these people, yet you have started them on a career and a future is before them. They are all human and I believe the time will come when you will feel that the purchase price was not too great. Don't expect too much of them now. Give them time.

The man who has a cause and has his heart in that cause will never know defeat. You have proven what a fraternity of arms can do.

Another lesson is the unification of our great country. There was the north and south, but the daring of Ensign Bagley, the bravery of Hobson, the brilliancy of Dewey and the dashing chivalry of Roosevelt and Gen. Joe Wheeler has cemented the union. It has established the efficacy of the citizen soldier, that the man can leave the workshop, the bench and the farm, like the minute men of old, and win such victories as have not been eclipsed.

Here before me I see the fraternity to which this young man belonged and indicating the spirit of fellowship that was in his heart. He recognized fraternity, fellowship and brotherhood, and we have them here. We have learned to love this soldier in church. He was faithful and earnest and willing and bore his burden in the church from love of God. So you have all gathered here to pay tribute to him who hears not your words and who did his duty as he understood it. Bring on the flowers and emblems of suffering and the white, the emblem of the resurrection and with a grateful people bend them above the noble head. A land worth dying for is a land worth living for."

The service then came to a close with a fervent prayer by Rev. Mr. Ford, followed by the rendition of the hymn, "Good Night."

All in the church were then given an opportunity to gaze upon the face of the deceased, all passing in front of the pulpit platform where the casket rested with a pillow at one end with the inscription in blue immortelles "Brother" and at the other end a large cross and anchor and a bunch of lilies of the valley.

The face showed full well the traces of the intense suffering the deceased had undergone and as he lay in the cold embrace of death, he was a mere shadow of his former self. As the body was being taken from the church, the band performed a prayer by Kreutzer. At 4 o'clock in a sudden downpour of rain, the remains were escorted from the church and the procession in the following order made its way to the Edson cemetery via Central and Gorham streets:

Lowell Military band, 25 pieces.

Company M, Capt. Mitten in command.

Company G, (without arms) Capt. Carr in command.

Company C (without arms) Lieutenant Livingston in command.

Hearse flanked by bearers.

Mourners in carriages.

Members of United States volunteers.

Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., S. W. Billings, marshal; aids, James Dawson, John Usher and W. H. Rigby.

AT THE GRAVE.

At the cemetery, the Odd Fellows' ritual was performed by Chaplain John Orrell of Wamesit lodge and the band played "The Vacant Chair." Taps were sounded by Bugler William Jacques and the responses were from the woods in the distance by Bugler Frances Riggs. Then the following squad fired the volleys over the grave: Corporal Fischer, Privates Baker, Goodwin, Caldwell, Chase, Dane, Keville and Borden.

Among the occupants of carriages were Major and Mrs. Alexander Greig, Jr.

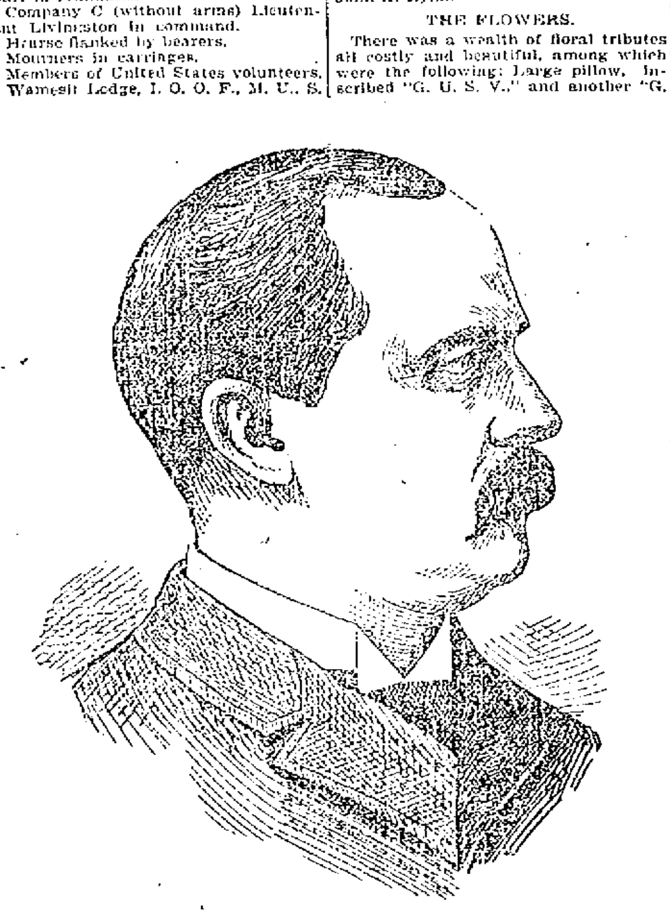
The active bearers were the following members of Co. G: Sergts. Geo. McNamara, Fred C. M. Silk, Pearl Durrell and Caldwell, Corps. Murdock McKinnon, Daniel Hayes, Fred Hunton and French. The honorary pallbearers were the following members of Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U.: Isaac Tinker, John Barnes, E. J. Otley, Henry Eames, Frank Bailey, William H. Walsh, William Gale, and John A. Lynn.

THE FLOWERS.

There was a wealth of floral tributes all costly and beautiful, among which were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "G. U. S. V." and another "G. M. V. M." from those organizations respectively; anchor, Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T.; three links, Wamesit lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U.; pillow inscribed "Son and Brother," members of the family; spray of pinks, George A. Carter; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whittaker; lilies of the valley, Miss A. Kendall; spray of pinks, Mrs. Phelps; standing cross, Y. P. S. C. E., of First Baptist church; wreath, Mrs. Leith, Mrs. Stoneham and Mrs. Henry; mound inscribed "Our Friend," from friends; bouquet, Robert W. Mountford; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kappler; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stevens; white roses, the Misses Herrick; carnations, Miss Mary E. Adams; spray of stocks, Mr. and Mrs. Dean; spray of roses, Miss Beth Worthley; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Durant and family; spray of stocks, Miss Cummings; cross and crown, employes of W. H. Brown's grocery and friends; spray of pinks, Mrs. Herbert C. Bellamy; standing cross, ushers of the First Baptist church; mound with dove, Fay Aldrich and Miss Annie Aldrich; large wreath from Lowell Branch Volunteer Aid association; large star, library of the First Baptist church; spray of pinks, S. H. Davis; spray of pinks, Frank W. Brault and Miss Emma Chapman; spray of stocks, Mrs. Clark; spray of stocks and tulips, Miss Amy Stewart; anchor, Mr. and Mrs. McCarley and Murdock McCarley; spray of pinks, Frank and Jennie.

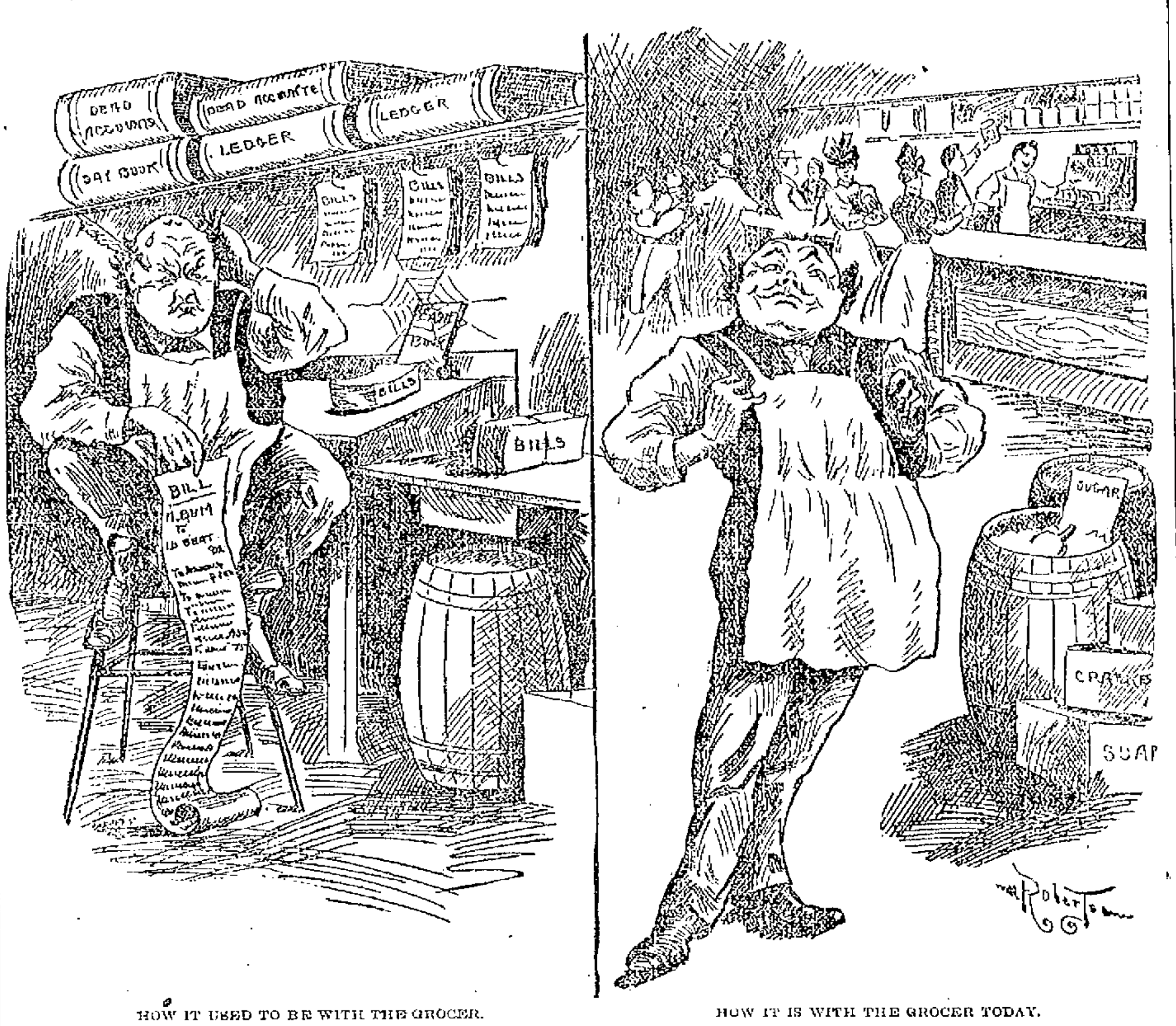
Undertaker Brooks had charge of the burial and Capt. Carr, general charge of the funeral arrangements.

Blow, bugles of sorrow, blow, taps of the night;
Blow sweetly, blow softly as wavelets of light.
Beside the tomb's portal lies splintered pride's lance,
Rust cankers the sword of the meteor glance.
The eagle whose wing could defeat to earth dash,
As he soared 'mid the battlecloud's thunder and flash,
O'er the carnage that seethed;
To gaze with full eye upon victory's sun.
An arrow doth smite
From his glory-lit light;
The lord of the fight
By death is undone.



REV. SMITH T. FORD, Who Delivered the Eulogy at the Funeral of Private Aldrich Yesterday.

THE RESULTS OF NO-LICENSE.



HOW IT USED TO BE WITH THE GROCER.

In license time, the grocer found it difficult to collect his bills. "What can I do?" he used to say. "They'll spend their money for booze and have nothing left for the poor grocer. I CANNOT refuse them food for the family while I am in business. People would call me heartless. The only thing left for me is to go out business. I am losing money every day. When, oh when will the bums and the soaks pay their grocery bills?"

HOW IT IS WITH THE GROCER TODAY.

"Well, well, if this isn't prosperity, I would like to know what is! Why, I have so much trade now that I hire help to do the work while I do the heavy looking on. I have burned my ledgers and bought a cash register. They pay cash now and I'm making money. License may be good enough for some people, but no-license is good enough for me."

THE BON MARCHE IN TAUNTON.

Lowell people will be interested in the success of Mr. John A. O'Hearn, formerly of Lowell but now manager of Taunton's new enterprise, The Bon Marche. It is a howling success. Taunton's citizens, big and little, great and small, rich and poor, are enthusiastic over what is locally known in Taunton as the New Fairyland, and the old-time methods and merchants of Taunton are entirely superseded by the enterprise of Mitchell and his man O'Hearn. The general management of this store is along the same lines as those of the parent house in Lowell. It is said that the enthusiasm in Lowell is nothing in comparison to that in Taunton. It is no uncommon thing to have the most prominent citizens of Taunton tell the new comers that they are glad they came to wake the business people and show them how to do business in an up-to-date manner.

ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE R. R. DIRECTORS.

At the annual meeting of the Manchester and Lawrence railroad, held at the Amoskeag bank, Manchester, officers were elected as follows: President, John W. Sanborn; Clerk, George H. Chandler; directors, Calvin Page of Portsmouth and Eugene P. Carver of Brookline, Mass. Mr. Sanborn takes the place made vacant by the death of Charles A. Sinclair of Portsmouth, while Mr. Page succeeds him in the directorate. Mr. Carver succeeds Amos N. Blandin of Bath.

The Manchester and Lawrence was incorporated in 1847 and owns a half line from Manchester to the Massachusetts line, 22.59 miles. According to the report of the railroad commissioners for 1898, there was held in New Hampshire $650,000 of the capital stock authorized by charter and by company of $1,050,000. For the year ending June 30, 1898, it received as income from the lease of its road to the Boston and Maine $102,000, and a total income of $103,259.60, including income from 53 shares of Mt. Washington railroad stock and 107 2-5 shares of Suncook Valley. The incorporation holds $274,-293.53 worth of land in Manchester.

Keep your eyes open for O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. It will pay you.

WITH THE POLICE

Many Arrests Made Saturday Night.

THE DRACUT ROAD FURNISHED SEVERAL

And Others Were From Lawrence Cars.

The police now find that much of the drunkenness seen in Lowell comes not from Nashua, N. H., as was supposed, but from road houses and even plain farmers' houses along the car line between the cities. There are several of these places it is said, beyond Lakeview and Nashua, though most of them being beyond the state line are beyond the jurisdiction of the Lowell & Dracut police.

Car conductors state that so frequent are the stops made at houses of this kind that it is impossible for them to make scheduled time between Lowell and Nashua. The bigger crowd took the Nashua cars Saturday and Lawrence, while not deserted, did not begin to be the busy place that it was a few weeks ago.

About one week ago, Selectman Stevens of Dracut visited the local police to see if he could arrange with them to assist the Dracut police in gathering in the bums who were then beginning to congregate in large numbers about the town. He procured a key to the patrol box nearest the Dracut line and made an agreement about settling for drunks taken from Dracut in the patrol wagon after car hours.

Then to complete the job, the Dracut selectmen appointed several special officers and were thus prepared for any emergency that might arise.

The emergency appears to have arisen on Saturday night when a large number of drunks went into the town, over the line and proceeded to disturb the peace of the inhabitants. Some of them, it is said, were not very drunk, but however they were, 10 of them were gathered in and taken to Lowell, the police officers officiating being: Selectman George H. Stevens, C. Frank Scott, J. T. Crawford, Peter Donohue, Elisha Gordon, George Tucker and Fred P. Vinal.

Officers under Captain Kew, Lieut. Brosnan and Sergeant Downey went as far out as the Nashua line and boarded Nashua cars at Aiken street and Lawrence cars at First street. There were six drunks taken from the cars.

There were eight other Lowell drunks taken in, making a "grand" total of 24 drunks. The bail commissioners made quite a haul, a majority of the drunks being working men with a few dollars behind them.

Supt. Davis and the liquor inspectors were out from 6 p. m. until midnight Saturday night.

It is evident that Chief of Police Lynch of Tewksbury and his worthy lieutenant, Officer Pringle sit all night on Saturdays for the last couple of Sunday mornings shortly after midnight he has pounced down upon unfortunate fishermen who failed to desist on the Sabbath. Yesterday he took in Jules Lecouture, Frank Lecouture and Leon Dresveden for alleged Sunday fishing.

Maria Shenley was arrested on Saturday night for alleged assault and battery on a Mrs. Hartley on Market street.

Quite a number of drunks infested Lakeview on Sunday and as a result in addition to the ten gathered in on Saturday night, about ten more were taken in yesterday.

WALKING SPEAK-EASY.

Officers Boyle and Ryan made a good haul last night when they took in what appears to be a couple of perambulating speak-easies.

Officer Boyle discovered them first in the alley between Worthen and Dutton and Broadway and Market streets. He first noted the man on guard at the Broadway end of the alley and as he did so, he saw two men dropping bottles in the alley. He released his prisoner and with the assistance of Officer Ryan caught the two men.

At the station, the men gave their names as Henry St. George and John Rainville. Eight quart bottles, all but one of which were open were found on them and about 20 empty bottles were found in the alley.

Later, the officers searched the room occupied by the men on Dutton street and found there a lot of bottles of all sizes, a drawer full of cork stoppers of all sizes, a small tin tunnel and a whiskey glass. The bottles all had a teaspoonful or more of whiskey in them. It is said that the men only moved in on Saturday night. The police believe that these men are a part of a gang of pocket speak-easy workers.

Something is going to happen this week. Watch O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

COUNTRY CLUB LINKS.

The golf links of the Vesper Country club which will be formally opened on May 30 are to be second to none in this country.

Several improvements have been made by the executive committee at the island for the comfort and convenience of the members. For those going by electric cars a new ferry, running on a wire cable, safe and capable of carying forty people, with landings on both sides of the river, has been put in. A new French range has been placed in the kitchen, and with additional help the restaurant is now ready to accommodate all parties.

TWO SAILORS LOST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 28.—A dispatch received here this afternoon from Captain W. H. Thomas of the schooner Harris D. Parker dated Lunenburg, N. S., states that on May 18 two members of the crew, John Thomas and Lawrence Smith, were lost. Both men were well known here.

ROMAN SOCIALIST NOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 28.—According to a special dispatch from Rome, published today the scenes witnessed Friday in the Italian Chamber of Deputies, were repeated yesterday. General Pelloux, the premier, denounced the Socialist attacks on the army and wild turmoil ensued. The Rightists rose and dashed at the Socialists, hitting and kicking, the session was suspended and the chamber was cleared by the officials.

The situation, it is added, is "regarded as grave."

SNOW BLOCK CLEARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEADVILLE, Col., May 27.—After a snow blocking lasting for four months and which was by far the longest in the history of railroading in Colorado, the South Park line has been opened and a train reached here from Denver. The South Park officials announce that from now on trains will be running regularly.

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.

MERRIMACK, PALMER AND MIDDLE STREETS.

An Important Event.

Particulars to be Announced in Wednesday's Papers.

We are forced by circumstances over which we have no control, to inaugurate this week a

Gigantic Mark Down Sale

Of our entire stock of merchandise consisting of Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Men and Women's Furnishings, Carpets, Furniture, Crockery and Kitchen Furnishings, comprising about $150,000 worth, to be offered without reserve, and sold at prices that will average from 55c to 65c on the dollar.

Wednesday's Papers Will Tell a Complete Tale of the Greatest and Grandest Carnival of Low Prices Ever Inaugurated in a Lowell Dept. House.

Cold and unseasonable weather during the month of May has brought about this predicament. Our stock is thousands of dollars heavier than it should be, the goods are all new and seasonable and we believe the time to sacrifice is when people need the goods; hence this gigantic mark-down sale.

$50,000 Is Needed at Once and We Must Raise It.

Watch Wednesday's papers.

For the astonishing offers in store for thrifty buyers.

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO.

WEAK CHILDREN.

Growing Boys and Girls Need an Invigorating Tonic.

Vinol Will be Found to be The Best Thing in the World for them.

This Delicious Builder-up Is Enjoyed by the Children.

Vinol Gives Vigor and Strength to the Mind as well as the Body.

We Guarantee that Vinol is Harmless and Especially Good for Weak and Growing Children.

Try it, and if You Are Not Satisfied, We Will Give You Back Your Money.

If your boy or girl does not thrive as he or she should, you may make up your mind they are out-growing their strength. If you notice that your boy does not play with the other boys and enjoy himself as is the nature of a boy, you had better make up your mind that his health is not what it should be.

Growing children need careful attention. They need proper food, well cooked, and plenty of it, but above all, they need some one to watch them, and be sure that this same food is properly digested, and accomplishes the results that it should.

This is one reason why Vinol, Wine of Cod Liver Oil, is the most invaluable of all tonics known to medical science. Vinol helps the stomach to more easily digest everything that is taken into it. Vinol helps the stomach get for itself all the nourishment that is possible from the food that is eaten. The consequence is that the renewal of flesh tissue is increased, the blood is kept pure and healthy, the nerves are invigorated and made strong, and the growing boy or girl is given the material that the body needs to develop and grow into strong, sound, healthy men and women.

Mrs. George M. Benedict, of 21 Down Street, Danbury, Conn., who is the wife of Dr. John H. Benedict, one of Danbury's oldest and best-known physicians, writes us as follows: "I must express to you the satisfaction I have taken in administering Vinol to a poor boy in my household. He had outgrown his strength. He has taken it with none of the revulsion which he felt for cod liver oil. It is doing him a wonderful amount of good."

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Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere, 50 cents per box—six for $2.50.
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The Better the HEALTH, the longer the LIFE.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters makes good health—therefore long life. It cures Indigestion, Constipation, Biliousness and all troubles arising from a weak stomach. It makes people well and keeps them well.

A better Mount than the
ZIMMY BICYCLE
Cannot be had for $45.00.

It was pronounced perfect by those who rode and perfectly tested it last season, but the improvements made on this year's model place it on a n equal footing with any wheel made. You cannot do better than select the "Zimmy" as your wheel for '99.

Several AA models at $35.00. All in perfect order.

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Then call for one of our Adjustable Go Carts, just as comfortable for an infant as a carriage, and later on you can use it for the child as it grows older.

Should you prefer a carriage we can furnish them as low as the lowest.

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May Have Seen Better Days

There are at least two local papers with less than one-fifth the circulation of THE SUN. They may have seen better days, but the only remnant of their former glory is the high price they charge for advertising.

If the price they ask is a fair one, THE SUN would be justified in asking five times as much, but we do not ask even twice as much. Don't you see why advertising in THE SUN is the cheapest in Lowell?

THE SUN has a larger circulation than any two other papers printed in Lowell.

It is in every respect
LOWELL'S
GREATEST
NEWSPAPER

Rosa Bonheur, the world's greatest painter of animal life is dead, but the "Horse Fair," her great masterpiece, purchased by A. T. Stewart for $20,000, still lives.

The national democratic committee has outlined the platform for 1900 and the anti-trust plank will be the leading feature. During the next campaign it will be clearly shown by the democratic leaders how the trusts can be suppressed by congress. They will be deprived of the protection under which they have attained such a menacing prominence at the present time.

The kidnapping of little Marion Clark in New York, has caused a great deal of excitement and one of the strangest charges in connection with the occurrence is, that the police suspect some newspaper writer for taking the child with the intention of getting a "scoop" on its discovery or else demanding a ransom for its restoration to the parents. In either case the kidnapper will have to play a very risky game and the newspapers of New York are doing their level best in aiding the police to solve the mystery. Already some of the newspapers have offered a large reward for the recovery of the child but without avail, still the police say that they have clues which may prove effective, although they are likely to prove the reverse.

General MacArthur's plan of enlisting a tribe of the Filipinos to fight another is not original with him. It is the plan which England has used for centuries and it is truly imperial in its effect. When England has not cared to shed any blood in subjugating a people whose territory she coveted, she frequently set them to fight one another and would help each side alternately, so that the fight became almost interminable until she stepped in in the name of civilization and made peace by reducing both to submission and ruling them permanently thereafter. Of course, the United States has a right to adopt all kinds of oppression or to copy such tactics if it sees fit, and the plain people have a right to their opinion of these methods of warfare, without running the risk of being charged with treason if they happen to express their opinions.

BOYS CLUB MOVEMENT.

A representative of the National Work for street boys is in Lowell, organizing a movement for the establishment of a street boys' club in this city. These clubs have been organized in various cities throughout New England, notably in Fall River, Holyoke, New Haven, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Worcester, Lynn, Springfield and several other cities, with the most satisfactory results. The plan is to establish first, a club with temporary quarters, providing attractions for the boys between the ages of seven and fourteen years. Then to make the movement so popular that citizens will contribute to the erection of a suitable building for the boys' club. The city of Fall River has a boys' club building, equal in size to one of our grammars school buildings and it is run at an expense of about $1,500 a year. The boys are provided with comfortable quarters with facilities for baths, athletic exercises, games, suitable reading matter and occasional lectures or in some cases manual training and instruction in the elementary branches.

The boys flocked to the club house and in a short time acquired habits of industry and courtesy with manners calculated to bring them recognition by employers later on.

So far as the movement has gone, it has been entirely successful and the value of the benefits derived by the boys is incalculable. Instead of being around the streets contracting habits of vice, they are learning something useful and are surrounded by the best influences possible at the club quarters. For newsboys, the boys' clubs are especially useful, while there are many gamins brought up in uninviting quarters who can hardly be kept in their homes evenings, but who will spend their time on the streets, generally under the influence of temptation, unless they are led into a club of this kind. So far as Lowell is concerned, a club of this kind has a good field to work in, although the boys are not the worst in the world, yet many of them are seen on the streets at a late hour without any visible business and apparently with no care as to when they return to their homes or whether they return at all. In fact, they seem to be their own masters. It is just such boys who lapse into criminal habits and eventually land in the penitentiary.

The clubs are, so far as they can be, strictly secular in character, so that there is no attempt of proselytizing, thus offering inducements to all denominations without distinction. Were it otherwise, the boys' club movement would be a complete failure and would be stamped out immediately.

Many boys who have not the advantage of home training and who receive little consideration in school can benefit by the training in the boys' club to a greater extent than is generally supposed. Thus far, the organizer in this city has received promises of liberal support and it is to be hoped that the affair will be quite as successful here as it has been in other cities.

A QUESTION OF PUBLIC UTILITY OR INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCE.

The street committee, regardless of public opinion has voted to have more asphaltina paving. In this there is no competition, no shaving of prices. This method of letting out city work is not approved. It is not business-like; it affords an easy method of defrauding the city and places every man who favors it under suspicion. It is an abuse that should be stopped. Another point to be considered in connection with the case is that the streets which the committee would have smooth-paved are close to the residences of prominent members of the committee, not the streets which public necessity would suggest. Of what use will it be to the city to smooth-pave Mammoth Road? Would it not be better to smooth-pave some street in the heart of the city where the traffic is 500 per cent. greater than on the Mammoth Road?

If the streets close to the residences of the committee are to be paved in preference to all others and regardless of public necessity, it is time the public should recognize the fact. If that rule prevails, it may be necessary next year to select aldermen from the streets which are in the greatest need of repairs.

General Taylor, in his lecture upon the "History of Journalism" before the Unitarian club, gave some very good advice in the matter of achieving success in various lines of business. He emphasized the necessity of a little business sense in connection with every calling, claiming that accomplishments are of little account unless properly used to bring financial returns to the possessor. He gave striking instances to illustrate his remarks. He spoke as a man of long experience and intimate knowledge of his subject interspersing his discourse with anecdotes that convulsed his audience with laughter. It is easy to see that it is General Taylor's personality that guides the destiny of the Boston Globe and that has brought it to its present state of eminence and influence. He is one of the great newspaper men of the age, although not a particularly great writer nor even a great orator. He is a very entertaining speaker and as a writer, his style is characterized by terseness and a total absence of what is generally accepted as fine writing. His is the plain, matter-of-fact newspaper style which serves the purpose without any straining after effect.

The predicted end of the Philippine war is as far off as ever. General Otis can take the towns and cities but he cannot hold them. MacArthur may succeed in employing some natives to fight others and the probability is, that those he enlists will eventually prove traitors to the American cause. Aguinaldo is astonishing the world by his persistence, by the marvellous fight he is putting up in spite of his limited resources. He is clearly the superior of any American general in the islands.

The Textile school is secure for another year. Would it not be just as well to settle once for all how it is to be maintained, whether by the city or state or by both conjointly and how much each shall contribute.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Next Thursday is the first of June.

The hammock season is here again.

Band concerts would be appreciated.

Have you hired your summer cottage yet?

Ambition either makes or kills a woman.

Bicyclists were out in large numbers yesterday.

The Memorial Day parade promises to be a very good one.

High cheek bones always indicate great force of character.

The Reina Mercedes will look extremely well flying the stars and stripes.

Lowell's Only Newspaper, booms like all creation. It shines for everybody—The Sun.

Many men are afraid of ghosts who seem perfectly fearless in the presence of spirits.

Pure white felt hats are becoming very prevailing among men, as are straw hats.

Isabel Urquhart, the well known actress, has been granted a divorce from Guy Standing.

"It is reported that 'Thompson,' Manchester's new pitcher, is Varney of Dover, one of the Dartmouth cracks."—Portsmouth Republican. Guess again, Brother Morse. Varney pitched at Hanover and "Thompson" at Manchester yesterday.—Concord, N. H. Monitor. Ask the Manchester papers if Curran of Tufts college, who won his spurs at pitching on the Lowell diamond was not about the size of the twirler who made his successful debut at Manchester, on Saturday afternoon last.

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When the mercury begins to climb it will not stop probably until it reaches the hundred shade mark.

The woman who laughs in a loud tone at the theatre can be sure of getting as much attention as the performers.

A split in the famous Lamb's club has resulted in the formation of the "Chops Club" at New York.

A farmer near Robbins hill, Chelmsford, boasts a motherly hen, 11 years old, which is caring for a family of 25 chickens this spring.

A Georgia exchange tells of an office that actually sought the man. It does not state, however, the amount the man owed the office.

Elm trees all about the city were shedding their seeds yesterday and the wind at times made it seem somewhat like a miniature snowstorm.

Now let us grab the heathens' wool
And everlasting lick 'em,
While good John Bull to help his pull,
Stands by and hollers "Sic 'em!"

When a man gets married he takes a mate to share his joys and sorows. After he has been married awhile he is willing to sell the shares way below par.

Denman Thompson has imported from Europe six bay trees, four boxwood trees and one English yew tree, which he has placed upon his lawn at West Swanzey.

A whizz, a whirl,
A nodding curl,
A flash of scarlet hose;
A smile she sweetly throws,
As past she swiftly goes,
The cycling girl.

Queen Victoria's collection of lace is said to be worth about $400,000. The Princess of Wales owns $250,000 worth of lace, and the ex-Empress Eugenie has a splendid collection. But that of Leo XIII. surpasses them all, being valued at almost a million dollars.

The tallest man in the United States navy has been selected to take the part of Uncle Sam in the peace jubilee to be held in Washington next month. The man who will represent this character is Chief Yeoman Wills, who stands six feet seven inches and is well proportioned.

The news that many of the Mormons are thinking of emigrating is the best news that has come from Utah for a good many days. The proposition is to go to the Canadian northwest where they will be in more congenial surroundings than they are in any part of the American republic. They were never at home on free soil.

A member of the Lowell fire department is now careful about smoking strange pipes. The other night during lunch hour he picked up a stray pipe in the "fire house," and after taking a few whiffs had the satisfaction of seeing the contents taking a Roman candle flight out of the bowl. It had been loaded for him.

The wearing of short skirts must be discontinued by the women school teachers of Lynn, and the men teachers must under no circumstances appear at the schoolhouse attired in knee pants and golf stockings. This is the edict of the school committee, and, while it has not been promulgated officially, the teachers have individually been given to understand what is expected of them in this respect.

A funny incident happened in the opening ball game in Cambridge. A Fitchburg base runner was not used to the new grounds, and in rounding third he failed to locate the home plate. He made for first base, and it was not until he had almost reached the pitcher's position that he got his bearings. He then made for the home plate, and the Cambridge players claimed an out for running out of line, but it was not allowed.

There are more freak matrimonial complications in Indiana to the square mile than in any other section of the country. Cupid, in his operations through Indiana, seems to have been afflicted with a most aggravated case of blind staggers.

Justice W. W. Strader has just united in marriage Russell Debusk and Miss Ella Bevars, and William Bevars and Miss Alphia Debusk. Miss Debusk is the daughter of Russell Debusk and William Bevars is a brother of Debusk's bride. A queer relationship is the result. Bevar's own sister is naturally his mother-in-law and his father-in-law is also his brother-in-law. Debusk's daughter becomes his sister-in-law. Mrs. Debusk is the stepmother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Bevars. Mrs. Bevars, being her father's sister, is consequently an aunt unto herself, while Debusk, being his daughter's brother, must necessarily be his own father. In case there is issue the child might be its own grandparent or the grandparent of its own father, while if this was carried out another generation it might easily be deducted that the child was never born.

But this case is hardly as remarkable as one which has come to light at Dillsboro. David Gray married his granddaughter by a former marriage. It would appear that the Grays believe in odd marriages, for Gray's father married his stepdaughter, whose mother was an aunt of the present wife. Now the question of relationship comes up. These two queer matrimonial ventures encircle themselves so often when the pencil is applied to the problem that by tracing it out it is very easy to figure all parties off the earth.

Over the line in Ohio county, a man named Miller married a widow who had a grown-up daughter. His father fell in love with the stepdaughter. The father became the son's son-in-law and the stepdaughter became his mother. Recently the son's wife had a child. The child was Miller's father's brother-in-law and Miller's own uncle, for he was a brother of his stepdaughter. Miller's father's wife—his stepdaughter—also had a son, who was of course, Miller's brother and incidentally Miller's grandchild, for he was the son of Miller's daughter. Thus Miller's own wife was his mother's mother and Miller became his wife's grandchild at the same time. And then, to top the whole thing off, as the husband of his grandmother, he was his own grandfather.

Here is a little telephone experience:
"Hello, Central!"
"What number, please?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"I don't catch that."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Try it once more, please."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine four.
"One hundred and sixty-nine four."
"No, two sixty-nine four, two hundred and sixty nine, four."
"I can't give you two numbers at once, which do you want first?"
"I was giving you the same number two different ways."
"A little louder please, I can't quite make you out."
"I said I was giving the same number two different ways."
"Oh yes! Well what number do you want?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Suppose you give me each figure separately, like one, two, three, four for instance."
"All right one, two, got that?"
"Yes"
"One, two, three four, five, six, got that?"
"Yes."
"One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine. Got that?"
"Yes."
"One" two, three, four. Got that?"
"Yes, you want two, six-nine four, do you?"
"Yes, two hundred and sixty-nine, four. Do you understand now?"
"Yes I understand. Two hundred and sixty-nine, four is busy now. Ring off, please.

They've taken down the barrier
That custom used to raise;
The girl, if you would marry her,
Must do it all these days.
Papa and dearest mamma seem
Not "in it" as of yore—
When most they favor love's young dream,
The more you may deplore.

It used to be the proper thing
To cultivate mamma,
And give her potted plants and bring
Cigars for "dear papa;"
But fashion now has made it wise
To court the girl alone
To read her hieroglyphic eyes
And tremble on her tone.

Then in some lonesome dark retreat,
Far from the haunts of men,
Or maids, she'll bring you to your feet
Then bring you up again,
She'll educate you to the ways
That suit her inclination,
And marry you in ninety days,
By average calculation.

MAJOR DIGGLES' DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 28—Maj. Arthur Diggles of the 13th Minnesota regiment whose death is reported at Manila, before the war, served as captain of Co. B, one of the Minnesota National Guard companies. He was appointed junior Major at the time the regiment was mustered into the Federal service last year.

He was born in Boston May 18, 1855, and was graduated from Yale College with the class of '76. He had been a resident of Minneapolis for 15 years.

BARKER'S MESSAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 27—The following despatch has been received at the navy department:

Manila, May 27.

To Secretary of Navy:
Washington,

Information has been received from the commander of the Castine (that) the Spanish troops have been withdrawn from San Boagan, P. I., on May 21. Information has been received from the commander of the Helena (that) the United States troops have relieved the Spanish troops at Sulu on May 20, saluted each flag; all quiet there.

—BARKER.

BIG SAFE BURGLARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 28.—Chief Post Office Inspector Evans of the New England force, received a telegram yesterday from Postmaster Thomas M. Barrows of Hinsdale, N. H., to the effect that the safe in the post office at that place was blown open sometime after midnight. Money and stamps were taken. The place was badly shattered and the work evidently was done by experts. An inspector will be sent to investigate the matter.

Y.M.C.A. CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich, May 28.—Yesterday's session of the Y.M.C.A International conference opened in the midst of a violent thunder storm.

The opening address was by W. W. Copper of Kenosha, Wis., on "Christian Stewardship." He presented the financial needs of the association at home and abroad. At the close of his address the work of raising money was begun. The secretary stated that the estimated need of the International committee was $137,000. Forty-five thousand was received and $45,000 additional also is asked for. General Supt. T. F. Whittlesley of the T. & O. C. R. R. delivered an address on "What Does the Railroad Company Expect from the Railroad Department?"

LOWELL ROMANCE

Local Young Couple Eloped on Friday

THEY WENT TO NASHUA TO BE MARRIED

Irate Parents Discover Them Just in Time.

It is as true today as it ever was that the course of true love seldom runs smoothly, says the Nashua Evening Press.

That it does not was illustrated in all its phases in this city last evening, when an officer stepped in with all the majesty of the law and sat down heavily on the honeymoon anticipations of a handsome would-be bride of 18 summers and a fine looking intended bridegroom of 20 years.

The couple had the symptoms that showed that they had run up against Cupid's insidious darts and that the young fellow had pinned their two hearts into one and thus made it expedient for them to fight the remainder of the battle of life under one flag. All would have gone well, but for a most obdurate parent.

The enterprising elopement which was very near being successful, was nipped in the bud by City Marshal Eaton, Inspector Flood and the father of the boy. A friend acted as interpreter for the parties, they being French-Canadians. They are residents of the sister city of Lowell. The meeting of the quartette with the mutual friend, a Mr. LeBlanc of this city, took place at the marshal's office, and when the denouement came there was a scene.

It appears that during the afternoon a young man telephoned from Lowell to City Clerk A. A. Hall asking if he could give a marriage license. Mr. Hall replied that he could. Later, City Marshall Eaton received an urgent telephone message from the officers in Lowell to prevent the marriage of an eloping couple from that city and to arrest the parties and hold them until the arrival of the father and a friend. The marshal and Detective Flood went to the office of the city clerk and notified City Clerk Hall and then awaited developments. It was supposed that the young man and girl left Lowell on the 2.20 electrics for Nashua but it appears that they came to Nashua on the steam cars, arriving a few minutes after 4 o'clock and a short time after, City Clerk Hall was called up by telephone by a Mr. LeBlanc, who wished to know if he could give a license and be in his office to unite a party in marriage. He replied that he would and notified the marshal, who, with Officer Flood, went to the city hall, where the parties were in the aldermen's room. At about 5 o'clock Mr. LeBlanc came in to get the license. The marshal mistrusted that the would-be bride and bridegroom were on the outside. He stepped out and saw them standing on the walk. He immediately took the young couple in charge and with Officer Flood, escorted them to the station. They were much surprised at the change in their matrimonial outlook, and entered a most vigorous protest.

But protests didn't go. They were still more surprised when the father, Mr. Besenard, accompanied by a Joseph Hould, arrived at the station and positively forbade the banns. Mr. Besenard was very persistent in his opposition to the wedding and at one time raised his cane as if to give his boy a threshing.

In the meantime the young man clung to his would-be bride and said he should certainly make her his wife even if prevented that time, the young lady in the meantime challenging the father to say one word against her reputation or in any way to show that she was not well worthy to become the wife of her affianced and his daughter-in-law. As the war of words increased the girl was seized with hysterics and Officer Flood went off for ice water. Then the matron resuscitated the love lorn maiden and the sensation was on again in full blast. Meantime the marshal, with fatherly advice, was trying to soothe the lacerated feelings of all the parties. When the parties had cooled off a bit, Mr. Hould came to the rescue as the mutual friend and a family consultation took place.

Romea Besenard, the bridegroom to be, persistently informed his father that while he could stop the marriage today he should certainly be married later, and the bride, Miss Burglerow, declared just as positively that she should have her lover for a husband.

Finally they came to an agreement by which Romeo and his girl should return to Lowell and to their homes, and matters should be amicably adjusted today to the satisfaction of the parents.

When seen by the press representative Mr. Besenard and his intended bride were boarding an electric car for Lowell. They were as happy as circumstances would permit, and quite positive that this little hitch in their private affairs was a disappointment that would make the proposed honeymoon trip, after their marriage, an incident for merriment.

After their departure the other Lowellites took a return car. They seemed pleased that matters had been fixed up by the aid of the police and a runaway marriage prevented.

TRIP TO BOSTON

BY A TWELVE-YEAR-OLD SCHOOL BOY.

I will give a little story about my trip to Boston. As I was going down to Boston to spend a few days, I thought I would write a little story about it as I went many interesting places, having with me Miss May B. Tesene and Mr. John Hanlon. The first place I went was on board the steamship New England. This vessel is the largest ship that crosses the Atlantic. While I was on the ship, they were loading hundreds and hundreds of things on to go to Liverpool. On the boat there were two pianos, two dining rooms, a smoking room, berths, steerage and other rooms. It has every convenience. That ended my first day's sight-seeing. The next day I went through the subway which has been recently built. Beginning at the public gardens a two-track system enters the open decline passing into the subway. The subway is of pure porcelain brick, along walls near the stations and where there are no stations it is simply white walls. The cars in the subway go very fast and you get a very cool refreshing breeze. Next I went to the Tremont Building which is about 15 stories high and has about 12 elevators running up and down. A very beautiful view can be seen from the top of this building. I did not stay long here, but went over to the state house. First I went into the old senate hamber where the old members used to meet. We then went up in the elevator and up to the dome. A magnificent view can be seen from here. I stayed there quite a while and then went down and out. Another sight I saw was the oldest cemetery in Boston, known as the Old Granary Burying Ground, where the great men of the Revolutionary War are buried such as Samuel Adams, Paul Revere and others. The next day I went on board the United States training ship Enterprise. This is where the young boys who want to the admirals and commodores have to go. Some of them will probably be like Dewey, Schley and Sampson. The ship will leave for Europe June 16, '99. It is quite a large ship and first when you go in is the school. They have school in the morning, but not in the afternoon. The men were fixing up the boilers, getting ready for Europe. When the boys are sick they go into the hospital. On the hospital door is a large red cross. One sailor showed us the guns they use. They also have a piano on the ship. When we saw mostly everything that could be seen we went out. The next day I went to Keith's theatre and it was one of the grandest sights I have ever seen. It is a treat to go in there.

It seems to me like Paradise with all its angels on the walls and ceiling. There is a free check room where you may check your hat and coat. Then you go in and see the performance. You can go in any time you want and come out when you choose. There are numerous electric lights and a great boiler to ventilate the theatre and for power. The theatre has a gold letter box, a telephone, a writing desk, a dressing room and in fact every convenience. In another place you can see yourself about 20 times in different mirrors. Mr. Keith has also an American biograph. He has about 100 employes. It is called the model playhouse of the country. It is a vaudeville theatre with continuous performances from 10.30 a.m. to 10.30 p.m. No person should visit Boston without seeing Keith's theatre. There are three prices according to location—25, 50 and 75 cents.

The next day I went to the Massachusetts state prison, having a card of introduction from F. E. Olmstead to Warden Bridges. I first went in the office and waited until the warden could spare the time to take us through. Then I went through the great iron door and the warden told us that he had prisoners 50 and 60 years old.

Then we went along the corridor to look in the cells of the prisoners and the cells are very neat in appearance. I will describe one of the cells I saw to give you an idea what is in them. There is a bed, a table, a closet, a couple of books, a clock, a pretty decorated shelf with little ornaments and a broom. The electric chair has recently been put there. I did not see the dungeon because the warden was short of officers. I also saw the cookroom. The last place I went was on the Steamship Wabash. I just visited parts of the ship. The steamship is out in the water a little way and you have to get in a little tug boat to go over there. I first went up stairs and around the ship, saw the engine room and where the amunition and arms were kept, and where the prisoners are kept, the hospital, the deck and the cook room. That nearly ended my trip to Boston and I was very thankful to my guide who took me so many places.

—TOMMIE.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 28.—A good attendance marked the final session of the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday. The judicial committee made its final report including recommendations in that part of the Warszawiak case which the judicial commission appointed to try the case referred to the assembly. The matter referred to was the memorial from the Fifth avenue church, N. Y., asking that the case be sent directly to it for retrial. The memorial's request was denied by the committee and the assembly approved.

The committee reported finding as judicial commission on the complaint of Rev. Moses Birkovitz against the synod of New Mexico. The action of the synod is disapproved. The synod directed the presbytery of Rio Grande to suspend Birkovitz without a trial.

An additional address to the international peace conference was adopted. This one recommends an international court of arbitration. The stated clerk said he would forward the address next week with a similar one from the alliance of Presbyterian churches of the world, representing millions of Christians.

CORPORATIONS AFFECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 28.—W. H. Hotchkiss, referee in bankruptcy, has handed down a decision, which, if sustained by the higher courts, will affect corporations in every state in the union.

The decision is that officers of a corporation, when they apply to a state court for a receiver, make a tacit admission of insolvency, which constitutes an act of bankruptcy and furnishes good and sufficient cause for the Federal court to declare such a corporation a bankrupt on petition of any of its creditors.

SEEKING CARRIE WILKINSON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The police are searching for a Carrie Wilkinson, who was discharged from the Mother's and Babies' hospital with a new-born baby, on August 15, 1897. It is believed that she took the name of Carrie Jones after leaving the hospital. The baby died on September 15 following.

The theory is that the loss of her own child upset her reason and that she took the Clark baby, who was as old as her own would be had it lived.

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STILL AT LARGE

Fontneau Who Shot His Wife Not Captured.

WOODS WERE SEARCHED ALL NIGHT

And No Trace of Him Was Found.

MRS. FONTNEAU CANNOT LIVE LONG.

Doctors Have Given up All Hope.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., May 27.—William Fontneau, the man who shot his wife at the Follet Place yesterday morning, has not been captured as yet and one of the attending physicians say the town authorities were slow in taking action in the matter. Dr. Mackie thinks that Fontneau would have been captured had the police acted immediately after being notified, but it was several hours before any steps were taken to apprehend the murderous assailant. Nearly a score of men spent the night searching the swamps about the Follet and old Thayer farms for Fontneau, but they found no traces of him. Search has been conducted in all near-by towns and cities where he was known to have friends and at places frequented by him, but no one has seen him since he left the room where he attacked his wife. The police think he is still in hiding. They do not think he had sufficient funds to get any great distance. On the day before the affair he had something less than $5 in his possession.

Mrs. Fontneau was living at noon today, but the doctors say she is liable to die at any moment. They have given up all hope of her recovery.

MULDOON VS. CITY

The Case to be Called on Wednesday.

The case of Thomas H. Muldoon vs. City of Lowell, for the payment of wages said to be due defendant will come up for trial in the police court on Wednesday forenoon next at 11 o'clock, subject to continuance if counsel on either side so desires. Daniel J. Donohue, Esq., will represent the plaintiff, and City Solicitor Qua the defendant.

A WOOLEN TRUST

Gets a Firm Foothold in New Hampshire

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LEBANON, N. H., May 27.—The American Woolen company, the new combine which has been securing control of mills in Massachusetts, Maine, Rhode Island and other states, has gained a firm foothold in this state. The company has had agents in the Mascoma valley for some time and it was announced this forenoon that the trust had been successful in its attempts to purchase the mills of the Mascoma flannel company and the Riverside Woolen company of Lebanon. The Mascoma mills have been idle for six months or more owing to the poor out look that existed for a time. It is understood that the trust will operate both plants here at their full capacity and the purchase gives general satisfaction in the valley. The terms of the sale have not been made public.

The American woolen company is in possession of the Sawyer mills of Dover, Baltic of Enfield and will likely control other New Hampshire properties.

Stearns, Orient, Tribune and Sterling Bicycles at Shattuck & Son's, 30 Prescott St.

AUSTIN BOWE

FOUND DEAD IN A WELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MERIDEN, Conn., May 27.—Austin Bowe, aged 66 years, a highly respected citizen of this city was found dead in a well at the rear of his carriage shop today. Sometime ago he sustained a paralytic shock and it is said he greatly feared old age and suffering. Bowe eluded his nurse and is supposed to have thrown himself into the well.

COMPANIES WON

IN THE CELEBRATED ARKANSAS ANTI-TRUST CASES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LITLE ROCK, Ark., May 27.—The state supreme court today sustained the decision of the lower court in sustaining a demurrer interposed by the Insurance companies in the famous anti-trusts suits begun by the attorney general.

The prosecution's contention that insurance companies which belong to rating bureaus in other states cannot do business in Arkansas was overruled and many of the affected companies are already reopening their offices.

BILL SIGNED

GOVERNOR SIGNS METROPOLITAN PARK COMMISSION BILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—Governor Wolcott today signed the Metropolitan Park Commission bill, carrying with it an appropriation of $500,000 for additional roadways and boulevardes.

FATAL POWDER EXPLOSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 27.—Seven men were injured, one probably fatally in a powder explosion at Mine No. 2, of the Youghieany River Coal company at Scotthaven, Pa., today.

GOSSIP OF LONDON

Wealthy Americans at Covent Grand Opera.

"Tod" Sloan Has a Run of Bad Luck—A New Paper Called the Anglo-Saxon, Started.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 27.—The Queen's birthday celebrations and the Whitsuntide holidays have occupied the public mind this week. The celebrations went off without hitch at Windsor, although the festivities in the provinces were marred by rain. The weather throughout the week was extremely cold and unseasonable in Great Britain especially in Scotland. Queen Victoria started for Balmoral on Friday evening and the royal party which has been staying at Windsor Castle is dispersed, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the Duke and Duchess of York going to Sandringham. The court returns to Windsor at the end of June and will stay there a month. In August the Queen will go to Osborne, Isle of Wight.

The Cowes regatta has been fixed for the first week in August. Emperor William of Germany is expected to arrive at Cowes on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, July 26, and to stay there until August 5. His Majesty will probably attend the Goodwood cup races on Cup Day. The Queen will entertain the Emperor twice at Osborne and the Prince of Wales will entertain him once on board the royal yacht. His Majesty will give dinner parties on board the Hohenzollern and will attend the annual dinner of the Royal Yacht Squadron on August 1. The regatta of the Royal Yacht squadron will be the occasion for a gathering of royalties at Osborne and will attract the cream of society to Cowes. It is understood that the emperor's trip is of a strictly private nature and there will be no public ceremonies during his visit.

COVENT GARDEN OPERA.

Covent Garden Opera has been the scene of brilliant gathering this week and there was a strong muster of the wealthy and titled Americans. The Duchess of Marlborough, Tuesday, made her first appearance of the season. She was dressed in mourning owing to the recent death of the widow of the seventh Duke of Marlborough, Frances Anne Emily, daughter of the third Marquis of Londonderry, relieved by a beautiful crescent of diamonds and a wide collar of pearls. Lady Randolph Churchill, who occupied the same box, was also in black.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley-Martin, their daughter, the Countess of Craven, and the latter's husband, the Earl of Craven, were among the fashionable assemblage, including the Duke and the Duchess of York, which witnessed the first appearance of Madame Melba as Juliet on Thursday. The Bradley-Martins are staying at Claridge's Hotel with the Cravens until their town house in Chesterfield Gardens is ready. It cost $500,000. Mrs. Bradley Martin wore only a few of her jewels at the opera, but her appearance attracted great interest in the audience, owing to the cablegrams relating to the circumstances of the family leaving America. Lorgnettes in all parts of the house were levelled at the Craven box, in the grand tier.

The Duchess of Marlborough will open a bazaar at Twickenham, June 9, in aid of the Refuge for Homeless Children.

THE MISSES LEITER'S TOUR.

According to advices received here, the Misses Leiter are about to start on a short tour of the towns in upper India, embarking at Colombo, Ceylon, in August, on their way to Paris, to rejoin their parents. They have been visiting the Viceroy of India (Lord Curzon of Kedleston, whose wife was a Miss Leiter.)

SLOANS BAD LUCK.

"Tod" Sloan has had a remarkable run of bad luck. Up to Friday he had ridden fourteen consecutive losers. His form is inexplicably bad, as although the quality of his mounts was generally poor, he had one or two capital horses such as Bettyfield, whose victory was regarded as a certainty. His host of backers came a cropper with Sloan's failure. The American jockey takes his place this week in Vanity Fair's gallery of caricatures. The short description accompanying the cartoon concludes: "He is a great little jockey, who is popular, but he is hardly so polite as a good Amerian should be."

The United States ambassador, Mr. Joseph Choate and Mrs. Choate, are visiting the Earl of Loven and Melville at Holyrood.

THE ANGLO SAXON.

A new paper to promote Anglo-American friendship entitled The Anglo Saxon appears this week. A number of letters from prominent men are published in the first number. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, writes that he wishes well of every movement which has for its object a closer union of the peoples of the United States and Great Britain. Alfred Austin, the poet laureate, says "the consciousness of the brotherhood among the English-speaking communities comes home closely to my heart." Algernon Charles Swinburne expresses cordial sympathy with any enterprise designed to strengthen friendliness and promote re-union, for which, we must hope, for the two great branches of our race, that their principles and destinies are identical and that there is most hopeful and trustworthy promise in the future. Former Justice Hawkins and General Sir Evelyn Wood write in a similar strain.

STRANDING OF THE PARIS.

The reticence of Captain Watkins of the stranded American line steamer Paris and of the officials of the company respecting the possible causes of the disaster have caused unfavorable comment in the papers, but there is nothing but praise for the behavior of the officers and men after the vessel struck.

Captain Verney, formerly commander of the British warship Oberon, writes that he spent a winter steaming at full speed up and down the channel, to test a boiler and can most positively assert that with attention, a good lookout, and soundings, the navigation of the channel is free from danger.

Augustin Daly contracted pneumonia while on his recent voyage from New York and landed in a serious position. But he insisted upon being brought to London, by easy stages, in an invalid carriage and is now steadily improving.

Dr. Mitchell says in difficult cases of Anemia, he adds cod-liver oil half an hour after each meal and he likes to use it in an emulsion; that he has watched with growing surprise some listless, feeble, creature gathering flesh, color and wholesomeness of mind and body from this treatment.

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The Conway Transfer company undertook to deliver a load of liquor this noon received by freight from Ford Bros. in Lawrene and Inspector Donaldson placed the driver under temporary arrest until he proved his identity, because the wagon was not marked and had no license number. The horse and wagon were held at the police station for some time and the company was notified.

A GENERAL ALARM

Necessary for Fire at Hartford, Conn. To-day

By Associated Press to The Sun.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 27.—A general alarm calling out the entire fire department has just been sounded for a big fire in a livery stable on State street.

The livery stable is owned by James H. Reilly and is located in the rear of 173 State street. The locality is a dangerous one, there being a number of wholesale houses in the immediate neighborhood. It is believed that the loss will not be very heavy unless the flames spread. The fire originated in Reilly's stable and soon communicated with the stables of Tuttle & Mather, truckmen. It is believed that the loss will not exceed $10,000.

AT STATE HOUSE

Both Branches of Legislature Hold Short Sessions

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—Both branches of the legislature held short sessions today, but owing to the absence of a number there was no debate on any of the different matters which came up for consideration. The senate killed the house resolves for a commission to enquire into the best methods for supporting the public schools. The same body passed the bill providing for the dredging of Cohasset harbor and the bill for a new building at the hospital for dipsomaniacs at Foxboro.

The bill incorporating the Boston, Cape Cod & New York ship canal company was passed to be enacted.

In the house the committee on ways and means reported reference to the next General Court on the bill continuing the publication of the province laws. The house passed the bill providing for the regular state tax.

Both branches adjourned until Wednesday of next week.

BIG FOREST FIRE

RAGING THROUGH THE PLYMOUTH CO. MEADOWS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PLYMOUTH, Mass., May 27.—A forest fire started on a cross road between the North Carver and South Meadow roads about two miles from here today and spread rapidly before a high southwest wind. The woods were very dense at this point and the area is covered with scrub growth. In the path of the fire are two dwelling houses and a tract of pitch pine. A gang of men are endeavoring to control the flames and the town department is ready to respond to an alarm at any dry but much of the burning territory moment.

Box 185 at the corner of Westford and Pine street, 2.45 Saturday, p. m., was rung in for a brisk fire in the woods off Westford street beyond Tyler Park. Although the blaze had gained considerable headway before the department arrived, it did not take long to extinguish it, the recall being retarded because of the dangerous location of the fire.

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WHO CLAIMS RIGHT TO HIRE ASSISTANTS.

Employes Will Stand by Their Boss.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 27.—Twenty-four men and one hundred girls employed in the twisting room at the yarn and thread mill of the Greene and Daniels Mfg. company struck this morning out of sympathy with their overseer, Thomas Connors. Yesterday Connors was informed by Supt. Goldsmith that he had hired a new second hand for that room. Connors claimed the right to hire and discharge his own assistants and the discussion resulted in his quitting work last night. This morning the employes of the room struck and say they will not return to work until Connors goes in with the powers he claims are his right.

The overseer of the mule room took charge of the twisting room this morning and told the old second hand who was to have been displaced that he could remain, as the new man was not coming. Laurie refused to remain unless Connors was returned. Both the strikers and the heads of the mill agree as to these facts, except that the mill people say a majority of 100 girls were going to get through tonight anyway because of dull business. The strike is not expected to last long.

HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 27.—Before the police court this morning, Fred E. Collins, George French and Frank Newhall of Lynn, Mass., were charged with assault with dangerous weapons upon Archie Coldwell. They pleaded not guilty and were held in the sum of $1000 each. The party assaulted failed to identify any of them and the evidence on which they were held was restricted to their own confession and the facts that two chambers in their revolvers were empty. The prisoners were represented by counsel and will furnish bail. The father of each boy was present.

ALLEN COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 27.—James H. Allen committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas at his lodgings in this city at noon today. Despondency on account of the failure to secure employment is assigned as the cause. Mr. Allen was 50 years old and unmarried.

TWO WERE DROWNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

DALLAS, Texas, May 27.—Officials of the Texas & Pacific railroad here received advices that a passenger train on the Pecos valley road was wrecked Friday night near Cannon City, Texas, by a waterspout undermining the culvert. One brakeman and one passenger were drowned. The entire train is reported destroyed.

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NOT A SUCCESS

No Cubans Appear to Assert Claims

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By Associated Press to The Sun.

HAVANA, May 27.—11 a. m.—Not even one soldier has thus far appeared at La Punta and received the honarium of $75 allotted by the United States for the surrender of arms and disbandment of the men composing the Cuban army.

At 10 o'clock this morning, the hour set to begin the payment of the troops, Major Francis S. Dodge of the Paymaster's department, drove up in a four mule team with $20,000 in gold and $5000 in silver. Six guards accompanied him and details of men from the Eighth infantry were under arms to preserve order among the crowd which it was supposed would gather.

Col. George M. Randall of the Eighth infantry, was present as commissioner of the United States.

Gen. Ruis Rivera, who was today inducted into the office of civil governor of Havana, was there to receive the arms, with a representative of General Gomez, four or five Cuban officers and 15 newspaper reporters. Half a dozen American clerks with the rolls of the Cuban army sat at a long table at the headquarters of the Eighth Infantry. A bag of gold was displayed, but there were no applicants for a share of it.

The spectators spent the time in discussing why no Cubans appeared. General Rivera said that though there were 4,319 enrolled privates and noncommissioned officers in the Fourth corps, few of them lived in Havana. He explained that they were outside the city, and would probably appear at other places in the province and get their apportionment. Nearly all the officers, he added, are in Havana.

The representative of Gomez, who has been acting with the latter in the interviews with Governor-General Brooke, took a gloomy view of the affair. He said the Americans had made a mistake in stipulating that the Cubans must give up their arms, as this had caused a bad impression among the Cubans.

A group of Cuban officers of General Miara Rodriguez's staff, who had in the meanwhile assembled, grew confident as the time passed and no soldiers appeared. Finally they jeered in a quiet way at the whole proceedings.

Towards 11 o'clock an unarmed colored man in Cuban uniform came across the dusty square, attended by all the American spectators. He turned out to be an "assistant" or camp follower, and was dismissed.

Major Scott, General Ludlow's adjutant, sent word that a man named Harris, a Cuban-American serving a sentence in the penitentiary, would be sent under guard to get his $75, so at least one man was sure to take the gatuity. About four hundred men had been expected, and possibly many of these will come later. But the scheme of payment, so far as Havana is concerned, looks like a failure. Quite different results are expected in the country districts.

TRIED TO SUICIDE

Providence Woman Makes Three Unsuccessful Tries

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 27.—Hettie Fielder, 48 years of age, a divorced woman, who lived with her daughter on Ship street has made three unsuccessful attempts to commit suicide within the last 24 hours. She first attempt was prevented and this morning she [illegible] the illuminating gas and took a dose of chloroform. She was discovered in time to save her life. She says she will try again.

Boston and Maine Railroad

Corrected to Oct. 3, 1898. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 6.45, 6.25, 7.0.12, *7.45, *8.04, *9.15, *9.49, 11 a m; 1.40, †3.00, 4.35, w5.41 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.48, 6.28, †6.45, w6.50, 7.04, *7.30, *7.38, 7.51, *7.44, w*8.15, *8.57, †9.19, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50 11.03, *11.44 a m; w12.05, 12.10, w12.45, 1.13, w2.30, w*3.00, 3.10, *3.47, w4.05, 4.24, w5.10, 5.22, *5.43, w*6.13, *6.22, 7.00, *7.49, w9.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 7.01, 7.28, w8.15, 8.18, 9.12, a m, w12.16, w1.05, 4.25, w5.50, 5.08, w7.25 p m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50 z7.33, w8.30, w9.25, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, w2.30, w3.10, w4.05, 4.18, w5.10, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, w†11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a m, w12.05, w5.50, w7.25 p m.

For Salem, Mass. w6.55, 7.03 a m; w12.05, 1.28, w5.10, 5.58 p m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.30, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, †11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.50, 7.25 p m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a m; 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p m.

For Exeter and Dover 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m.

For Somersworth, N.H., Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.33, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p m.

For Lewiston, 6.50, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p m.

For Bangor, Belfast Skowhegan and Rockland 6.50 a m; 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.50 p m.

For St John's, N.B. Halifax, N.S. 5.10 p m (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.50 p m.

For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinued for the season.

For stations on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 8.30 a m. 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, 7.33, *7.49, 11.03 a m; 1.45 4.28 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.44 a m; 4.35, 5.58 p m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.10 a m; 12.00, 5.00 and 5.42 p m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12a m; 1.00, 5.41, 5.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 5.41 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7.40 9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 5.27, *8.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.09 a m (to Nashua only), 8.08 a m; 2.00, 6.08, 8.10, 8.51 p m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *1.40, (to Franklin only) 5.40, †*8.40 p m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 1.10 p m.

For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9.40 a m, *1.40, *†8.40 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a m; *12.12, *†8.40 p m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—*9.40 a m; †*8.40 p m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke—9.40 a. m., †*8.40 p m.

References: *Express: †Daily. w Via Western Division. ‡Wednesdays and Saturdays only § Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.

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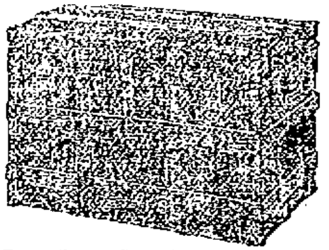

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A CENTURY OF GREAT STRIKES.

The Labor Strike Began One Hundred Years Ago and Will Die Out, it is Believed, with 1900.

At a recent meeting of the persons interested in a great trust it was intimated by the directors that there would never be a strike among their employes, and one of them added that the strike would be unknown in the history of labor after the nineteenth century—just as it was before the eighteenth.

This meant that capital was coming to appreciate labor.

The recent strike in Idaho was mild; so also the threatened Minnesota trouble. Strikes are growing less; yet at one time they threatened the prosperity of the country. It is no more than five years ago this August that there was a bread riot, led by Emma Goldman, in New York City. The strike in various forms menaced all industry.

The conditions have so changed in the last three years that now, if a strike is threatened the capitalist invites the leaders to consult him, not alone that he fears their power, but because he knows that they are men, like himself, intrusted with certain powers, and that they have ground to stand upon. Education has raised labor.

THE FIRST STRIKE.

The first strikes occurred in New York City a little over one hundred years ago.

The journeyman bakers asked for higher wages, the request was refused and they stopped working. The leaders were arrested, and the bakers went to work again.

The strike of the bakers was the only outbreak for half a century.

The Republic was formed, and the workingmen of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, the cradle of the Nation's infantile industries, believed that wages would be higher, labor easier. A Republic must mean that, they thought.

"All men are equal," they said.

Soon they learned that a fine phrase is not always a truth, and that even a truth may be inoperative. From 1785 to 1790 wages rose, but from the latter year onward they began to recede toward the old standard.

In 1796 the boot and shoe makers of Philadelphia held a meeting, declared that they could not live on the pay given them, and struck for higher wages.

They failed, and after weeks of hunger returned to work in humbleness.

In 1798 the same men repeated their effort, and were successful in securing the advance. In the following year the employers felt stronger, and announced a cut to the old rate. Again the men struck, and after a long struggle a compromise was effected.

News traveled slowly in those days, but the success of the Quaker strikers was soon known in all other trades. The example had been given; there was needed but a cause for repetitions.

JACK TARS' STRIKE.

The sailors who came into the port of New York—there were American sailors then—had long complained of unjust marine laws and illegal practices by the shipping masters. Getting no legal redress, in 1803 they struck. The shipowners tried coercion. When a seaman refused to go on a voyage for which he had signed articles he was seized and carried aboard.

Indignation grew among the marines, and one morning New York's citizens awoke to learn that the wharves had been seized by armed sailors, most of them drunk, and all ready for rebellion. The city authorities tried to arrest the leaders, and bloody riots followed.

The year 1805 produced a new phase of the strike. Then for the first time since the Stars and Stripes were raised, strikes were punished by law. There were Philadelphia shoemakers, dissatisfied as of old; and after they had been "out" several weeks, the employers got the ear of a local magistrate, and the strike leaders were arrested and fined.

This was their heinous crime, legally stated:

"Conspiracy to raise wages!"

In 1821 the Albany printers, who had formed a union, struck against the employment of non-union men in a newspaper office. In two days the employers yielded. Printers were then, as now, among the most intelligent workingmen, and the news of their victory spread rapidly.

In Boston, in 1839, the carpenters and masons struck for a shorter working day, and failed because of dissensions among themselves.

The weavers of Paterson, N. J., struck in 1835 for a shorter day, and failed after six weeks of idleness.

QUAKER STRIKES.

In the same year the coal-yard laborers in Philadelphia went out, and the strike was compromised with the raising of wages 12½ cents a day, a good deal of money in that period.

From 1836 to 1842 there were twenty strikes, most of which were unsuccessful, the strikers winning in but two instances.

The spread of strikes may be traced to the growth—almost unnatural in its quickness—of three American properties: iron works, coal mines, railroads.

The history of labor troubles, since 1870 proves that nine strikes out of ten have been of laborers in these three industries. With every new line of railway was opened a territory to be affected by a general strike.

Iron was the first of the all-powerful trio to be attacked. In 1842 the Pittsburg bosses reduced wages. The men struck against the reduction. But the men had no organization, and after four months they returned to work, as badly battered as if they had been literally striking against iron.

They were not as fortunate as the Philadelphia weavers, who in 1843 won a strike after destroying considerable property.

The iron-workers, however, had been taught a lesson, and began the formation of a union. Three years were spent in building up the organization, and in 1845 they renewed the conflict with their employers. After three months wages were raised to the standard demanded.

For five years the men were nearer contentment than ever before. Then the mill-owners again complained of the depression in trade, of falling markets, of the absolute need of reducing wages. Deeds followed words, and pay was cut. Of course the men struck.

Then capital tried, for the first time, a course that has since become terribly common. The militia was called out.

The following year was one of strikes. There were riots everywhere, the entire militia of Massachusetts being called out to conquer the rebellious shoemakers, who started upon a strike of their own.

The coal-fields were battle-fields from 1861 to 1871, there being six strikes during that decade, each greater than the one that went before. The miners were lawless; but the mine-owners were equally so, even refusing to obey an eight-hour law passed by the Pennsylvania Legislature.

BAD YEARS.

From 1871 to 1875 cigar-makers struck nearly one hundred times, being unsuccessful in nearly every instance.

But the spirit of brotherhood among the workers was growing. They saw that unity of action was best, that throughout a class each member must uphold the others.

The test soon came, and in an industry theretofore unaffected—the railroads. In 1877 the Baltimore and Ohio reduced wages 10 per cent. and the men struck. The Eastern railroads supported the B. and O., and at once the employes of those roads "went out" as a protest, the Pennsylvania, Erie, Reading, Lake Shore and Fort Wayne roads being tied up.

From the beginning there was bloodshed. First at Martinsburg, then at Baltimore, then in Philadelphia, strikers killed those who tried to take their places, and soldiers shot the strikers. In Chicago the state of affairs was almost as bad.

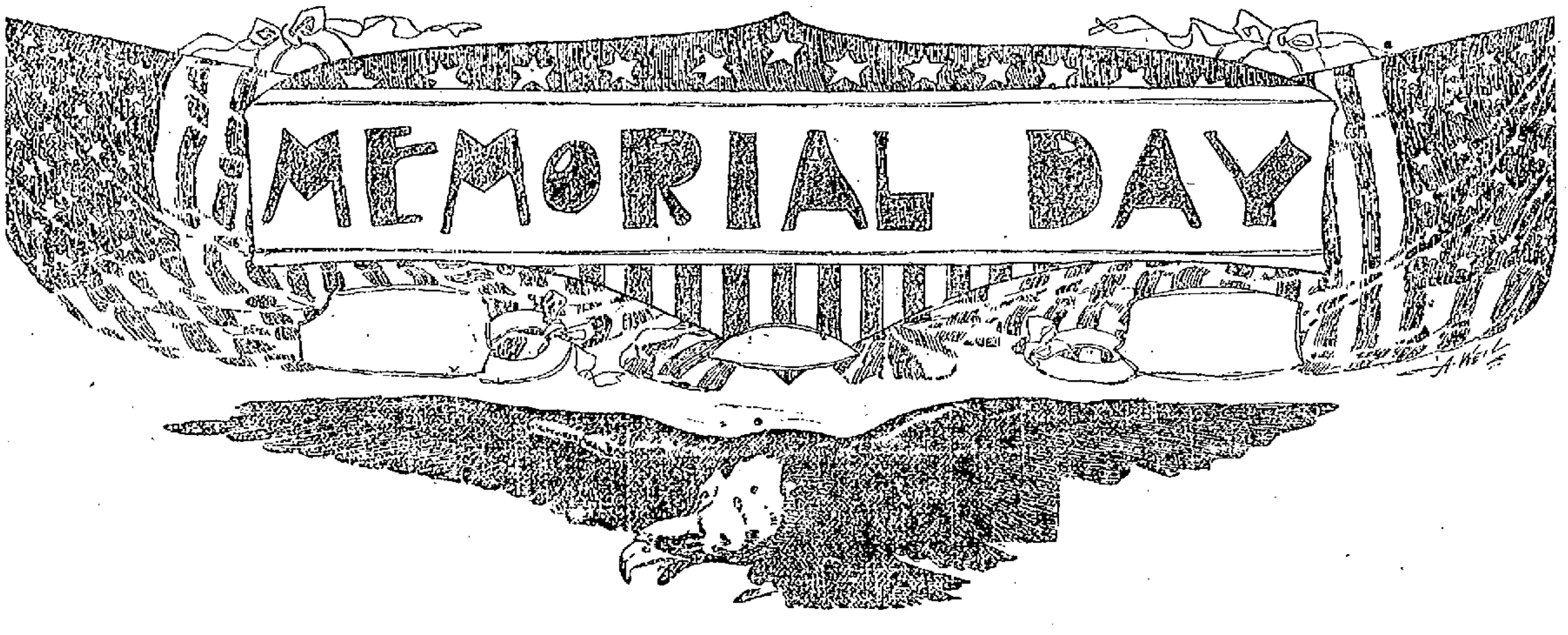
Troops were out in a half-dozen States. Ohio seemed on the verge of anarchy, strikers marching in turbulent procession through the streets of Cincinnati and Toledo, and defying the police.

Then arose a danger the most serious in labor troubles—the militia refused to fight the strikers. Workingmen themselves, they remembered that at any time they, too, might be fighting for bread, and they refused to fire on men engaged in such a combat.

In Pittsburg the soldiers even furnished the rioters with guns and ammunition. Federal troops were hurried into the breach, and the B. and O. men were driven to shelter. But they resumed violence when news reached them of the sympathetic strikes in the East.

Pennsylvania had an awful four days of carnage. Readjustment brought peace.

The Homestead strike, ten years later, is now historic, as is the Pullman strike of five years ago. Both sides had rights, both had wrongs!



A NEW MEMORIAL DAY FOR '99.

It Will Be Celebrated as the Greatest Military Holiday of the Year.

Memorial Day this year has a new significance. It commemorates the dead of the Spanish war, the heroes for whom buildings are still draped and crepe worn. It is just a year since the soldiers began falling under the Spanish shells, and though the war casualties were famously small, the loss, trifling as it is in the annals of history, is keenly felt. And to Memorial Day, '99, there is an added significance.

The custom of strewing flowers upon the graves of the dead is as old as the human race, yet it remained for the American people to inaugurate a Decoration Day. Thirty-two years ago a day was set apart as an annual holiday for the trimming of the graves of soldiers, and the day has grown in importance with the years. Though the North is generally credited with initiating the custom, it was actually the South that was first to have a Decoration Day.

The idea originated with Prof. Andrew Washburn, of Hyde Park, Mass., and later of Denver, Col. He had served in the Union Army, but went South just after the war as an educator, and was engaged in Richmond, Va., together with half a dozen other Eastern teachers, in those trying times. They were sad days, for Richmond was in trouble and poverty, and the most popular little trip was to Belle Isle, just above the city, in the James River, the site of the famous Confederate prison. It told a heart-rending story of death—did Belle Isle in those days—for there were long rows of irregular graves, and on one of these trips in the spring the Northern school teachers took with them a quantity of wild flowers, which they gathered en route, to scatter over the graves. They were assisted by many of the children of Richmond.

The following May, 1866, Prof. Washburn suggested to his assistants that they choose a regular day for the pilgrimage to Belle Isle to decorate the graves of fallen soldiers, and May 30 was the day decided upon.

Many children were invited and told to bring as many flowers as they could. On the evening of May 29 the teachers met in Mrs. Washburn's kitchen, and there made up the flowers into wreaths and bunches.

A RAINY DAY.

The next day was rainy, true to later Decoration Day records, but, nevertheless, the party, headed by the Mayor of the city, went to Belle Isle, bearing the flowers. They planted a cross among the mounds, and then went from headboard to headboard, nailing a wreath on each one.

At the close they all sung a war hymn, and, while they were singing, the clouds parted overhead and a beam of sunlight came through upon them. A clergyman who had accompanied them offered up a prayer, and with that the ceremony ended. That was the first Decoration Day.

The following year, 1867, the ladies of Richmond decorated the Confederate graves in Hollywood Cemetery, and a similar beautiful commemoration took place in North Carolina and elsewhere in the South.

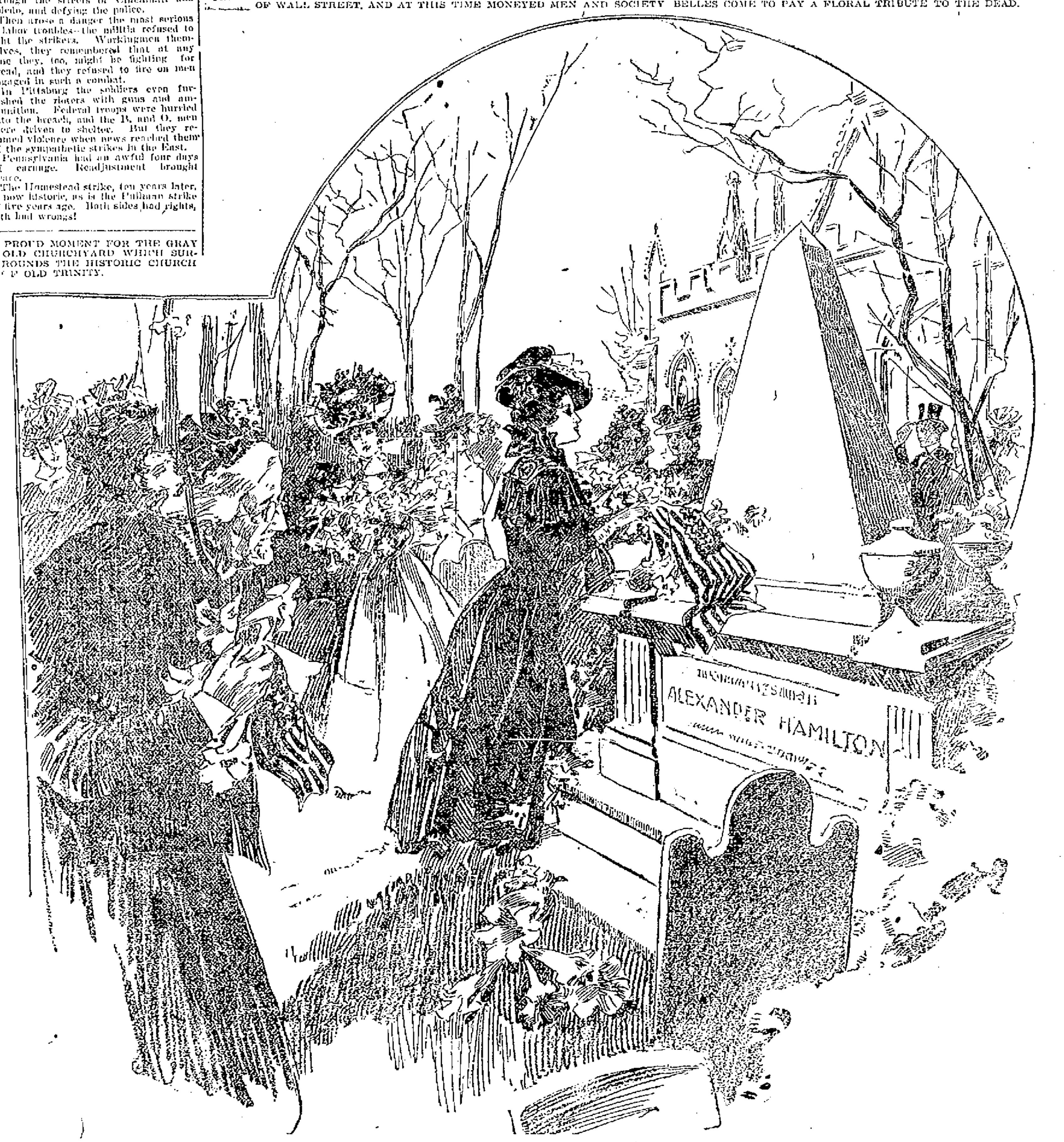
The next year the Grand Army of the Republic took up the subject, and Gen. John A. Logan sent forth a general order designating the 30th day of May for the decoration of the graves of the brave soldiers who had fallen in the war.

The most enthusiastic States were Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Ohio and Pennsylvania. New York and New Jersey responded liberally. Kentucky and Tennessee showed a wide observance of Decoration Day, and the cemeteries in Virginia, at Arlington, Culpeper and Yorktown, bloomed like a rose garden. No State but tried to do something.

To-day no soldier's tomb in the United States is knowingly left undecorated on Memorial Day. The Government has eighteen National cemeteries, which it guards with special care. Here 300,000 of our soldiers lay, but not a grave will be slighted next Tuesday, for Decoration Day will be observed this year as it has not been for twenty-five years.

THE TOMB OF ALEXANDER HAMILTON IS IN THE HEART OF NEW YORK'S BUSIEST QUARTER. OLD TRINITY STANDS NEARLY AT THE HEAD OF WALL STREET, AND AT THIS TIME MONEYED MEN AND SOCIETY BELLES COME TO PAY A FLORAL TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

A PROUD MOMENT FOR THE GRAY OLD CHURCHYARD WHICH SURROUNDS THE HISTORIC CHURCH OF OLD TRINITY.



DECORATING THE GRAVES OF THE BRAVE SOLDIERS WHO HAVE PERISHED IN THE WARS OF THE PRESENT CENTURY. OLD TRINITY, IN NEW YORK, IS A FRAGRANT SPOT ON MEMORIAL DAY, FOR ALL BRING THEIR OFFERINGS TO LAY UPON THE TOMBS OF THE BRAVE WARRIORS OF THE PAST.

GREAT DEEDS OF THE SPANISH WAR.

They Make More Heroic Reading Than Those of Leander, of the Hellespont and the Hero of Thermopylae.

A poet lamented the other day that there were no deeds of heroism to sing of the late war. Poor poet! He little knew that to his blinded eyes a scene was presented which, if the vista were secured, would stretch out broader, nobler and fairer than any of the marvelous works of history. Nineteenth century deeds were those of marvelous gallantry in the field. All the wars of history seem leading up to the time when the United States should buckle on its armor and go to fight Spain and utterly defeat it—not by overwhelming forces, but by strategy, cleverness, bravery and right.

The greatest deed of the Spanish war is, in the opinion of many, the deed of Hobson in the sinking of the Merrimac. The young man, without knowing what lay in Santiago Bay, went boldly forth with half a dozen comrades and blew up the ship upon which he stood, trusting to the waters to carry him home. The cutting of the bridge by the Roman of old was not more heroic than this.

"O, Tiber, Father Tiber, to whom the Romans pray,
A Roman's life, a Roman's arms take thou in charge this day."

So sang Horatius at the bridge when the last beam had been severed; and so saying he threw himself into the Tiber to swim across to his army. Hobson did as great a thing, and greater, for, in the dead of night, he blew up his ship and undertook the impossible task of swimming out of the intricate waters of the Atlantic. Of course, he was captured, but his captors treated him with the deference of a prisoner of state.

Was not the deed of Hamilton Fish worthy a war poem? Should not one wreath on Memorial Day be laid upon his headstone? On June 24 of last year, before our soldiers had tasted shot and shell, he rode ahead of the famous Rough Riders right into the heart of the enemy's country. They were almost certain of ambush. That morning Fish said to one of his comrades: "I'll go on ahead; I'm big, and they can see me coming."

And they did see him coming. On foot, cutting his way through the bushes, pushing ahead of all the rest, went the brave young soldier, his six feet three inches of height towering over the heads of them all. Suddenly, they were in ambush, and the first shot mowed him down. He died where he fell; his last instructions were: "Go on; never mind me!"

Colonel Roosevelt, Governor of New York State, went up San Juan Hill, waving his sword, while the shot fell so thick around him that it felt like hailstones. His hat and his hand were shot; but he threw away the one and tied up the other and went on, rejoicing that it was his left hand. He said afterward that he could not help going into the fight; if he hadn't gone as fast as he did his men would have run over him. But the men tell a different story. They say that Colonel Roosevelt rushed upon the enemy with such ferocity that they were obliged to push hard after him, or they would have lost sight of his coat tails.

Colonel Funston, the hero of nine lives, swam a river in Cuba, as he has just swam one in the Philippines. The Colonel took a perilous ride once through the enemy's country, on the way to find Gomez. He was chased by Spanish cavalry, and did the clever trick of doubling on his own course. Striking into the woods, he turned back and passed his pursuers, who were spurring on their horses after him.

What about Schley's race when he stood upon the bridge of the ship, and, looking at the retreating form of the Christobal Colon, said: "I want that ship." Schley never quit his exposed position through the engagement, and had the satisfaction of getting the ship which he wanted.

Wainwright's little Gloucester will be famous in history. Why not write a poem to the little yacht which put on its war paint and went out as a baby warship? Captain Wainwright saw two torpedo-boat destroyers, the Terror and the Pluton, close together, and he said to himself: "Why not kill two birds with one stone?" And kill them he did. The Gloucester, with her little guns pointed on the fierce destroyers, shot them through and through, and sank them out at sea. They lie there somewhere in the deep as monuments of the work of the yacht manned by Wainwright and his crew.

Captain Clark's run around the cape with Engineer Millican will be told in verse some day when our poets wake up to the fact that this war has been one of great deeds. Captain Clark was told to sail around Cape Horn and up the coast of South America, and to join our fleet in the Gulf of Mexico. He was warned that there might be danger on the high seas, for the Cape Verde fleet was lost sight of.

When he put in at Brazil, he found this message waiting for him: "The Cape Verde fleet probably lying in your course. If you meet them, you do the best you can."

After reading that telegram, Captain Clark sent for Engineer Millican, and said to him: "What can we do?" and Millican replied: "I can give them a pretty good run for their money."

For twenty-eight days and nights the Oregon was kept under full steam, ready at every moment for a surprise. One day they got a terrible fright aboard, for a little boat loomed up in the distance. But, as it came nearer, it proved to be under the English flag.

Captain Clark had his course mapped out, and this is the way he describes it now: "I intended, if I met Cervera's fleet, to run away as fast as I could. This would string out the seven warships until they were one behind the other, a mile or two apart, and then I intended to turn suddenly around and meet them one by one, and I knew that I could sink the whole fleet that way."

Engineer Millican, who kept the boilers going as high as possible, is generous in his thanks to the chemist aboard ship. He said: "If it had not been for our chemist I could not have kept the steam up. He kindly allowed me to give the crew water from which the salt had been extracted only until it was pleasant to the taste. He did not insist upon a perfectly pure water. Thus I was able to keep the engine and boilers supplied with enough water to keep the steam up to its fullest capacity."

Here are only half a dozen of the most conspicuous deeds, not counting those of Sampson and Dewey; but the poet, if he reads this, will have enough to do for the present.

COMES UNDER LAW

Witch Hazel Taxable as Toilet Water.

MANY LOWELL DRUGGISTS AFFECTED.

They Carry Large Quantities in Stock.

Many Lowell druggists have been surprised to learn that by recent decision, the commodity known as witch hazel is taxable as toilet water under act of June 13, 1898. The object of this law is to tax all proprietary preparations with trade mark, all patented mixtures, all remedies advertised for the cure of diseases, provided directions for use appear on the label, all so-called "non-secret" remedies, "all remedies or preparations advertised in any print, such as any newspapers, by hand bill, circular, poster, or public sign and recommended to alleviate any ill whatever, whether the use be by "internal or external application," all perfumes, etc., of special interest at this time, "all preparations and compositions held out and specially recommended as adding to or enhancing the beauty of the skin, hair, mouth, or complexion. These include all face powders, rouge, hair dyes, hair oils, vaseline, petroleum, bay rum, dentrifices, tooth paste, complexion soaps and similar articles."

Witch hazel was not held taxable under the act as it was supposed to be used only for medicinal purposes and unless special claims were made for its curative properties on the package, it would not be included in the above list of articles.

The following extract from a letter from the office of commissioner of internal revenue, dated Washington, D. C., May 8, 1899, is explanatory:

* * * * "You are advised that this office has recently held since the act of June 13, 1898, went into effect, that witch hazel, being believed to have been more often used as a medicinal preparation was dependent upon the claims made for it as a remedy for some ailments in order to have been charged with the stamp act under schedule B. But now this office is reliably informed that witch hazel is universally used as a toilet water; that the amount so consumed is believed to be greatly in excess of that employed as a medicinal preparation, and therefore, its former ruling, holding it taxable only when it is held out as a specific for some ailment or put up in the style and manner of proprietary medicines, is rescinded and it is held instead to be taxable under schedule B as a toilet water and it must be stamped in bulk or otherwise before it is removed from the place of manufacture or importation, regardless of the style or manner in which it is sold or what claims are made for it on the label, or, in fact, whether it is labeled at all or not, so long as the fact that it is witch hazel is known.

Druggists have been bothered by the clause referring to labels and directions for use as many articles of common use are put up in this way.

This tax of witch hazel will add to their tribulations, since many of them carry large quantities in stock and a tax of one-eight of a cent for every five cents worth will mean a good deal to those having a large stock on hand.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 27, 1899.

May 18, Nora Fitzgerald, 18, consumption.
19, John Keene, 58, pulm. hemorrhage.
Nellie Whitworth, 32, catr. bronchitis.
Louis Sarrasin, 7 mos., cap. bronchitis.
20, Susie E. Trask, 38, cer. hemorrhage.
Romola Rochette, 27, metritis.
M. Adelaide Lepine, 10, pyemia.
Mary Zueras, 3, meningitis.
George Ellison, 1, bronchitis.
Marie Richard, 8 days, anaemia.
21, Sarah Mathews, 72, apoplexy.
William B. Giles, 36, tuberculosis.
Sarah L. Robinson, 30, phthisis.
Bessie Tapletz, 28, phthisis.
Jeremiah Geary, 20, pneumonia.
22, Rosalie D. Paulint, 70, disease of liver.
William J. Corbett, 63, disease of heart.
Charles E. Andrews, 55, apoplexy.
Jeremiah Hurley, 45, cap. bronchitis.
Rose Perry, 23, consumption.
Mary Kelley, 74, pneumonia.
22, Bridget Bergen, 76, diabetes.
Ann Hartigan, 65, cancer.
Willard Spinney, 40, Bright's disease.
23, Anastasia Collins, 87, myocarditis.
Michael Tulley, 85, senility.
Mary A. Shepherd, 67, heart disease.
Kate L. Holland, 67, heart disease.
Harvey L. Aldreich, 24, ch. diarrhoea.
Arthur Richard, 34, heart disease.
Irine Downing, 9 mos., dentition.
21, Henrietta Kurtz, 64, cirrhosis of liver.
Gladis E. Graffam, 5, measles.
Mary McDonald, 11mos. marasmus.
——Widen, 2 mos. inanition.
Rosanna Richard, 13 days anaemia.
25, Alexandrine Manseau, 26, phthisis.
Elzear Boisvert, 1, measles.
Joseph Silva, 8 mos., pneumonia.

GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.

ORDAINED A DEACON.

In the annual spring ordinations for the seminarians of St. John's Ecclesiastical seminary at Brighton held Saturday morning in the cathedral of the Holy Cross, Rev. John J. O'Hearn of this city was ordained deacon.

BELLAVITA Arsenic Beauty Tablets and Pills

This Complexion Treatment is a guaranteed specific, perfectly safe and sure in its action, for the removal of various disorders of the skin, viz: Pimples, Blotches, Freckles, Sunburn, Discolorations, Eczema, Blackheads, Roughness, Redness, and restores the Bloom of Youth to faded faces. Boxes containing 10 days' treatment 50c; 30 days' treatment, $1.00; six boxes $5.00 with positive written guarantee to produce the above results or cheerfully refund $5.00 paid. Sent by mail on receipt of price. Send for circular.

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—AT ALL DRUGGISTS—

VESPERS WON GOLF GAME.

The Lexington golf club played a team match against the Vesper Country club of Lowell on the Lexington links Saturday and was defeated 6 up. A large delegation of club members accompanied the visiting team and were handsomely entertained by the women of the Lexington club after the match. The score:

VESPERS.

Thorp	0
Chadwick	4
Ranney	6
Corwin	0
Grover	1
Sherman	1
Total	12

LEXINGTON.

Griffiths	2
Tyler	0
Courtney	0
Sewall	2
Stevens	2
Lockwood	0
Total	6

A game in the series for the Kennard cup, a trophy donated to be competed for by the women of both clubs, also took place. Miss Ames of Lowell and Miss Gookin of Lexington played a tie with a score of 119 each, but on the playoff Miss Ames proved the winner. The summary:

	First round	Second round	Total
Miss Ames, Lowell	58	61	119
Miss Gookin, Lexg.	55	64	119
Miss E. Lockwood, "	61	74	135
Miss R. Lockwood, "	71	72	143
Mrs. Chadwick Low'll	74	81	155
Miss Clarke, Lexg.	75	80	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths, "	75	81	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths "	75	81	156

No card, Mrs. Reed, Lexington.

MATHEWS WON

Made Garrison Finish in Saturday's Game

GRIMES CAME TO THE RESCUE

When Jack Fahey Had Weakened.

The Mathews opened up the home season in the Trolley league by winning a game from the Newburyports at Mountain Rock Saturday.

The score was large, 19 to 18, yet the excitement was great at all times.

It looked all up for the Mathews in the 6th, when the visitors' scored nine runs and made the score 15 to 6, in their favor. Fahey lost control of the ball entirely in this inning, and let the Newburyports hit the ball hard. Those who did not hit it got to first on balls.

Grimes was substituted and held his opponents down.

The Mats got in the game in their half in the sixth and aided by wild throws piled up seven runs. They tied the score in the seventh and won in the eighth when they made four runs. The features of the game were a rattling double play by Lynch and Castles circus catches by Brown and Vaughn, and the base running of Doyle. Early in the game, Dunlavey got struck in the lip by a foul and got a bad cut. After that he wore a mask behind the bat.

The score:

MATHEWS.

	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
Maguire, 2b	6	1	1	1	5	3	1
Lynch, cf	4	3	3	3	3	1	0
Boyle, ss	2	2	1	1	1	4	1
Castles, 1b	5	2	1	2	6	0	2
Hoyle, rf	6	4	3	3	1	0	0
Vaughn, lf	4	3	3	3	2	0	1
Fahey p	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Grimes, p	3	1	2	2	0	0	0
Dunlavey, c	4	0	0	0	6	0	0
King, 3b	5	3	2	2	3	2	1
Totals	42	19	16	17	27	11	9

NEWBURYPORT.

	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
B. Atkinson, 2b	6	4	4	4	2	0	1
Price, lf	6	2	2	2	0	0	2
O. Atkinson, 1b	5	2	2	4	9	2	0
Merritt, c	4	1	1	1	8	8	3
Leary, ss	5	1	3	3	0	6	2
Ring, 3b	3	2	2	2	3	2	1
Brown, 3b, rf, cf	5	2	1	1	2	0	2
Pope, cf, rf	5	1	0	0	0	0	1
Shepard, p	[illegible]	2	2	2	0	1	1
Totals	45	18	17	19	24	19	13

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Mathews	0	2	0	4	1	7	1	4	*	—19
Newports	0	0	2	4	9	0	0	0	3	—18

The Emmetts laid off on Saturday. So did the Mysteries, of whom Manager Burnett says all the other teams in the city are afraid.

The Shamrocks says that for some time to come their attention will be engaged in playing return games. Manager Kavanaugh says, however, he is willing to forego one of the dates to play with the Mathews.

The victory of the Brockton team last week has greatly encouraged Manager Burnham, and he will be out for the lead from this time on. He announced this morning two important additions to the Brockton team. William V. Hawke, a pitcher from Wilmington, Del., has accepted terms. Hawke was formerly on the Baltimore league team. Two years ago he fell from a horse and wrenched his hand and was unable to pitch. He is highly recommended by Day and McCafferty, who say he has great speed and is a find.

John F. Quinn, for two years captain and catcher of the Peoria team of the Western association, has also accepted terms. Two years ago he caught in 95 games. He is recommended by Bernard, who has played with him, and who says he is a fine backstop and a strong thrower. With these additions Brockton will very shortly make some of the other larger teams hustle. With good support some great playing is sure to be seen at Highland Park.

Catcher Nelson, with Newport last year and with Buffalo, a while this spring, is playing with Cortland, N. Y., where Mike Birmingham is covering first in fine form.

Manager Burns believes in keeping young pitchers on the bench as long as possible before allowing them to make their major league debut. It gives them an opportunity of getting acquainted with the league batsmen without suffering defeat. His method worked well with Katell.

Brampton, who was featured in metropolitan papers as a pitcher for the New Yorks, has been tried by the Waterbury club in the Connecticut state league, and has been turned adrift.

Stroh has been released by Newport and Shires is playing third. Armstrong is covering first until a third baseman can be secured.

Jack Downey, a catcher and outfielder who has played with Hamilton, Ont. would like a chance on a New England league team.

The Cambridge team which will assume the title of Lowells when they come here for a permanent stay and beginning their season in this city a week from today, though they are easily the tailenders of the New England league, can play ball and hold their own with the best nine the league affords, says Manager Blake, who will do his utmost to make new league ball pay in this city. "You can say to the people of Lowell for me," remarked Mr. Blake. "that the team does not come here for a day a week or a month but for all the time. We will give Lowell the kind of games for which its admirers have long been waiting for. The city government has been invited to attend the opening game. Billy Connors will cover second base.

The Eagles have organized for the season of '99. They are as follows: C. Smith, c; T. Shanahan, ss; Jigger Killeen, 3b; J. Sullivan, lf; E. Mullin, cf; T. Morrison, rf; T. Rowe, sub; Big Feet Thompson, batminder. They would like to hear from any team under 11 years. McGovern says his arm is in fine shape for pitching. Send challenges to Carl Smith, 8 Gold street.

In a slugging match which half the town, including a large portion of the young female population turned out to see, Jim Rodgers' Colts, the vigorous Collinsvilles, "did" the Orients on the home grounds Saturday afternoon. Sufamary:

Collinsville	0	3	1	4	9	5	0	0	0	22
Orients	1	0	1	4	4	3	5	0	1	—19

Batteries—Orients, Scott and Moody; Collinsville, Houle and Rogers. Struck out by Scott, 4; by Houle, 9.

James now wants to get a crack at the Shamrocks or any other Lowell team that knows the fine points of the game.

The Shamrocks were on hand at the North Common Saturday afternoon to contest a game with the Groves, but not enough of the latter nine appeared. A forfeit to the Shamrocks was declared.

The Y.M.C.A. beat the Tigers of the North common by a score 15 to 6. The Tigers had the Y.M.C.A. 1 to 0 till the 3rd inning, when the latter piled up 7 runs and won the game. In the second inning, Russell, the pitcher of the Y.M.C.A.'s struck out three men in succession, only pitching 14 balls in all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark of North New Portland, Me., and Miss Winona Clark of Wellesley college are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Savage of South Walker street.

SANCTUARY CHOIR.

A sanctuary choir has been organized among the boys of St. Peter's church and rehearsals are being held under the direction of Fred O. Blunt, who is instructing the boys in singing. It is intended to have the sanctuary choir sing at the services when the new church is opened.

AT CITY FARM.

Miss Bennett, the new assistant secretary of the Y. W. C. A., had charge of the gospel meeting at the City Farm yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A Delicious Dessert
Lemon Sherbet made with
KEYSTONE
Silver White
GELATINE
If your grocer cannot supply you, send us his name and we'll send you a sample package free, with recipes by the leading cooks of the country. A full size box mailed for 15 cents.
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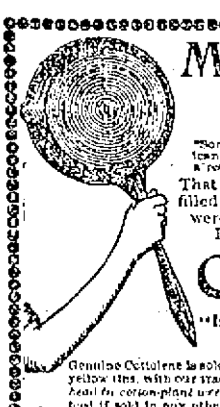

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If your name is not on our books yet, now is the time.

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And you'll wonder how you could have gotten along without it. It's so helpful.

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AT J. DRAIN'S, 111 GORHAM ST.

The very newest shapes in Sailors, sold everywhere for $1.25; our price from today only 69c.
Sailors that were 75c. and $1.00, now 49c.
Sailors that were 45c. and 69c., now 38c.
Sailors that were 50c. now 25c.
Sailors that were 38c. now 19c.

SHAPES OF ALL KINDS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS OF ALL KINDS MARKED DOWN ALMOST ONE HALF. GREATEST BARGAINS IN MILLINERY EVER OFFERED IN LOWELL. WE BUY FOR CASH, AND WE BUY GOOD GOODS CHEAP, AND WE SELL GOOD GOODS CHEAP. EVERY ARTICLE IN OUR STORE RELIABLE. EVERY CUSTOMER TREATED ALIKE. NO TWO PRICES HERE. OUR BUSINESS IS DONE RIGHT. THAT IS WHY OUR BUSINESS IS INCREASING EVERY MONTH IN THE YEAR. GOOD GOODS, LOW PRICES, SQUARE DEALING WITH EVERYBODY. ALSO LARGE DISCOUNTS FOR CASH PURCHASES MADE.

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DON'T SAY WHEN YOU READ THIS AD. THAT THERE IS NO USE GOING TO DRAIN, THE STORE IS ALWAYS CROWDED. NOW DON'T LET THAT STOP YOU. WE HAVE HIRED EXTRA HELP, AND ARE ALL PREPARED TO DO YOU JUSTICE, AND SAVE YOU MONEY EVERY TIME. COME EVERYBODY TO J. DRAIN, 111 GORHAM STREET. OPEN EVENINGS.

A 5 Cent Lunch.

A 5 cent package of Uneeda Biscuit forms the basis of an ideal lunch. Ideal because they do good as well as taste good—muscle building as well as palate pleasing.

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are good anywhere and everywhere. Good for the child's lunch as the working man's; equally good as the basis of a dainty luncheon or a substantial meal. You can't understand the goodness of Uneeda Biscuit until you try them.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE or to let, a baker shop and grocery store, with fixtures, in good condition, also barn attached at Wilton, N. H. Only baker shop in town. Good stand. Inquire of A. Hamilton, 90 Tilden street, city.

FOR SALE—Pool room and cigar store for sale at 189 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Hotel in Nashua, steam heat, electric bells. For particulars, address W. M., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Large boarding house cor. Fayette and East Merrimack streets, with 39 steady, good paying boarders and roomers. Price $400. This is a rare chance; come quick or you will lose it.

FOR SALE—A first class bar with restaurant attached; 3 minutes' walk from depot; good reasons for selling; terms low. 59 Eddy street, Providence, R. I.

FOR SALE—A complete set of shoemaker's tools; also good Singer sewing machines. Enquire of John Lawson, Graniteville, Mass.

FOR SALE—Desirable farms, cheap. Apply soon to Lemuel M. Hutchings, Westford, Mass.

FOR SALE—Eclipse Oil Co. Stock. Address O., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Must be sold this week, a bed lounge, a parlor stove and a baby carriage at your own price. Call evenings. 74 Washington street.

FOR SALE—Best fitted and cleanest restaurant in Lawrence; first class; location beats all others, and is paying good money. Price reasonable. Anyone that wants a good business and make money this is the one. Address or apply to C. W. Howard, 631 Essex street.

FOR SALE—Boarding and lodging house in good location on Merrimack street; price low; a great snap. Inquire at Room 1, Mansur block, Central street.

FOR SALE—The entire outfit for preparing fried fish and chipped potatoes. We are going out of the business for good reasons and offer the outfit at a bargain. For full particulars apply to J. W. Robinson, 119 Tenney street, Methuen, Mass.

WAGONS—Inspection invited to my select stock of Concords, democrats, square wagons, panel side wagons, and an assortment of second hand phaetons, Stanhope buggies, wagons in good condition, all of which I will sell at bargains. J. F. Libby, 69 Hobbins street.

FOR SALE—A first-class cobbler's shop, including all kinds of tools, lasts, machines, etc. Apply at 114 Pleasant street.

WILL SELL OR TRADE—4000 feet of land 15 minutes walk from Centralville bridge, price $100. Also a cottage of 7 rooms near Gorham street at a bargain; 6000 feet at Yellow Meeting House. Inquire 119 Bridge street.

MUST SELL my upright piano, stool, scarf, and 150 sheets of music; would prefer cash, but will sell on instalments. Address P. O. Box 487.

FOR SALE—Lot of land on Highland avenue 6000 feet, by Lewis D. Osmun, 614 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Ten R.I.P.A.N.S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—One of the best places ever offered in Lowell for the money. A new two story house of eight rooms, all modern improvements, wash room with set tubs, also bath room and pantry, large barn. Cars pass the door. Price low and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—All the lots belonging to the Fay estate on the boulevard and Varnum avenue at prices and terms to suit all who wish to secure a home in the most pleasant part of Lowell. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Hildreth street 7 room cottage house, near Bridge street. Price $1300. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—3 1-2 miles from Lowell, near the cars; one of the best small farms out of Lowell; 9 acres of land, house and barn in first class repair, lots of fruit; can be bought on easy terms. Price $1550. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—A most desirable corporation boarding house in good location. Very cheap. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Bowers street two tenement house, good location. Price $3500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Grace street two tenement house of five rooms each tenement. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SIDE LINE—Free outfit offered by prominent house. Protected ground. "Rubber," P. O. 1871, New York.

BERTHA E. BIRD, trance and business medium. Advice on everything pertaining to past, present and future. Test circle Sunday evenings. 605 Broadway.

SECOND HAND Goods of every description bought for cash. Good prices paid for bicycles and furniture. Let me know what you have to sell and I will call. Harry Abrahams, 55 Haverhill street, Lawrence.

THE FIVE CENT LIMIT—Mr. Joseph Brouillette has opened a Refreshment Establishment at the place known as the 5 Cent Limit, on the Nashua electric line and will serve all kinds of light refreshments to those stopping at the popular summer resort, also summer boarders.

RUBBER STAMPS—At wholesale prices. 1 inch one line stamps 10c.; 1 1-2 inch 15c.; 25c. ink pads 25c.; 25c. ink pads 15c.; 50c. linen markers 25c.; business stamps 15c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack street.

THE EX-PRESIDENT of the Bakers' union pays one hundred dollars to all the scab shops in this city if they can show a better loaf of bread than he keeps in his store at 152 Church street. Brothers and sisters patronize him respectively. Paul Bretschneider, Union Bakery.

CALL at 132 Merrimack street to buy or sell second-hand furniture. Telephone 603-1.

MADAM NATHAN, trance and business medium; ladies and gents 25c. 9 John street.

WATER CLOSETS and bath tubs from $5.00 up. All first class plumbing at Lowest prices. J. H. Barry, 138 Market street.

REMOVAL—Sam Smith, formerly at 101 Market street, has removed his Boot and Shoe Store to the new Appleton stores, 271 Middlesex street, where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers. Boots, shoes and rubbers repaired at lowest prices. New and second hand shoes for sale cheap.

Scrubbing

of the kitchen and back hall floors takes time, leaves the floors damp and makes them soft and spongy, ready to receive dirt. Grease spots become prominent and after a time the floors are in a most unsatisfactory condition. All this may be avoided by the use of

GLOBE
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The directions are simple.

Quart Cans 50c.
1-2 Gallon 80c.

WRITE OR CALL for a booklet "On the Treatment of Floors."
It is worth your time.

C. B. Coburn & Co.
63 Market Street.

Warm Weather

Is coming to stay with us for the next three months and you will need all the comfort you can get, so do not heat your house and blood trying to do your own bread baking when you can get the best Bread, Cakes and Pastry that can possibly be made at less price than you can make it, of

Peter Watson.

He has two Bakeries: at 52 to 60 Charles street and 46 Lawrence street. Watson's bakery supplies are on sale in all parts of the city. When you get Peter Watson's you have got the best.

52 to 60 Charles St.,
46 Lawrence St.

OFFICE TO LET—In The Sun building. Inquire at Sun office.

WANTED.

WANTED—A situation as kitchen girl. Inquire of Margaret Kelley, 55 Union street.

WANTED—By a man and wife a nicely furnished room, with or without board, in private family, in vicinity of Westford street. Address D., this office.

WANTED—Situation by young man of 17; store work preferred. Address L. 31, Sun office.

WANTED—Agents. Sell our goods and make $5 daily easily and pleasantly. D. Archibald, 73 Nassau street, New York.

WANTED—Three men to solicit orders for the latest improved household novelties. Call at once and examine our "Perfect" Clothes Wringer; entirely new. E. D. Shadduck Co., 351 Middlesex street.

WANTED—First class Down East or Swede girl for general house work, apply Saturday May 27 at 117 Stevens street from 3 to 6 p.m., Mrs. Henry L. Pike.

WANTED—Pattern makers. One or two first class men. Apply to C. H. Phillip, 48 Purchase street, Boston.

WANTED—Lady agents for medicine company. Salary and expenses at the start. No experience necessary. Call in person at once at 88 First Street.

WANTED—Competent man here with $2000 cash. Permanent position, worth $3000 yearly; staple line. J. Splane, Como Building, Chicago.

WANTED—A lady to take charge of cutting school in Lowell. Good salary and commission. Call or address immediately. C. J. Burns, Binkeley Building, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—Collectors and canvassers. Call room 31 Hildreth Building, till 8.30 p. m.

AGENTS WANTED—For a special summer campaign. The Saturday Evening Post—established by Benjamin Franklin in 1728—now published by The Curtis Publishing Company, proprietors of the Ladies' Home Journal, is offered to subscribers, for one year only, for $1.00—the regular price is $2.50. This offer is for the purpose of a quick introduction, and will be withdrawn September 1st. The regular price of $2.50 will be maintained after that date. We will give a good commission for every subscriber secured and distribute $3000 September 1st among the 175 best agents. $500 will be given the person sending the largest number of subscribers at $1.00 each per year. At this special low subscription price thousands can be easily secured. Address The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Names of ruptured people. We cure rupture free to introduce our method. Dr. Speirs, 51 Main street, Westbrook, Me.

WANTED—A blacksmith and helper at Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen Street.

STENOGRAPHER and typewriter—A young man, competent stenographer and typewriter desires employment. Best of references. Address X., Sun office.

WANTED—Honest man for office. Look after agents. Previous experience not necessary. Small amount of cash required. Address Leonard, Lowell Sun.

WANTED—By American woman situation as nurse or companion to elderly people. Address Mrs. M. Foster, 23 Coburn street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Room with power for light manufacturing, about 30x30. Address P. O. Box 978, city.

WANTED—A second hand refrigerator or ice chest. Address B., Sun office.

WANTED—First class paper hangers and painters. 373 Gorham street.

WANTED—Everywhere. Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. No canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Men to bring their lawn mowers to be sharpened and put in first class condition, by Gonzales the Cutler. Razors concaved and honed. 175 Gorham street. Every job warranted.

RELIABLE MAN to employ and look after canvassers. $60 per month and expenses guaranteed. References required. Clark & Co., 234 S. 4th street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—An unfurnished front room in St. Peter's parish. Call for Miss O'Day, 90 John street.

WANTED—100 boys call at Room 19, St. Lawrence hotel to sell London Champion Silver Polish at 5c. a package. Prize given to the one selling the most. Gold watch or suit of clothes.

LADIES—Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best, safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. in stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Law's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MEALERS and boarders wanted at Central Restaurant, 464 Central street, opposite Union street. Price low. Meals at all hours.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A gold Greek letter pin, with name on back. Reward at 283 Pawtucket street.

LOST—Black coon cat. Liberal reward and no questions at 95 Mt. Vernon street, Lowell.

FOUND—The best place in Lowell for ladies to buy hats, bonnets, sailors, etc. at moderate prices is at No. 616 Merrimack street, Mde. Maxime Lepine, formerly 557 Moody street. Call in and ask prices.

TO LET.

TO LET—A nicely furnished room, at 719 Merrimack street. Good locality.

TO LET—In North Chelmsford, a fine tenement in a double house, also a barn, ample room for two horses and carriages, water, sewerage and every convenience, rent easy, terms with the right party. Inquire at 415 Middlesex street, F. M. Barney & Co., Grocers.

TO LET—Tenement of 12 rooms, including bath room; all in excellent repair. Suitable for a boarding or apartment house, at 62 Whipple street. Three minutes' walk to the Wamesit Power Co. mills. Rent reasonable. Apply at store down stairs.

TO LET—A cottage house of seven rooms and bath on Baldwin street. G. D. Kimball, 64 Central street.

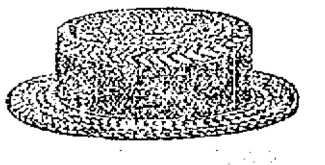
TO LET—Quickly. Rarely any ever vacant houses, tenements and flats, made and kept free from pesky bugs by the use of Dow's Bug Poison. No need to suffer with bugs when a few cents will kill all the scamps. See Dow's, 559 Central street.

TO LET—Some first class $7 and $8 tenements in Centralville, good location. Apply to A. G. Boharrel, Room 8, Bon Marche block.

TO LET—Two square rooms. Inquire at 713 Merrimack street, corner Austin.

TO LET—Blacksmith shop. Inquire Connors Bros., Thorndike street.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board, one large front room on first floor with gas, furnished or unfurnished. Price low. 262 Fayette street.



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All the latest and most popular hats are to be found in our line for this season.

TEAGUE & TEAGUE
Cor. Central and Middle Streets.

Summer Session.

To equip young people with such practical knowledge of business and shorthand affairs that it will assure first-class positions, is the guaranty of the

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
The Kind You Have Always Bought

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

IF YOU MUST DRINK,

Drink our high grade Teas and Coffees; they are the best. Sugar delivered free to our Tea and Coffee customers. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Sold on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allan, French and German lines to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown and Liverpool. Drafts issued for any amount on all parts of Ireland at Murphy's agency, 13 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred Cigars.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone 439-4.

Regular 10-cent glass of Ice Cream Soda, 5c at Martin's Drug Store.

The Butler Vets leave Lowell tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock to participate in the muster at Natick.

Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Lanoue are happy over the arrival of girl twins. The sponsors are Ernest and Hilldas Lanoue, joyful uncle and aunt of the little ones.

"Are they going to fall, or what's the matter?" you will ask when you read O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. Just watch for it.

Mortgage Sale by Public Auction of the MEAT and GROCERY STORE at number 253 Smith street opposite Shaw Hosiery on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, A.D., 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., also one horse, one wagon and one harness. Stock is all new and worthy of your consideration.

Donovan & Mansur, Auctioneers.

FLAHERTY-O'BRIEN.

Martin Flaherty of this city and Jack O'Brien of New York meet at the Lenox A. C. tonight. Martin and his friends are confident he will win, although he is going up against one of the best men in his class.

You can make money by spending money at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s mark-down sale. See Wednesday papers for particulars.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor council was held yesterday afternoon at Building Laborers' hall, with the usual large attendance.

Several communications were received, including a notice from the Boot & Shoe Workers' union of Marlboro to the effect that the strike in that city is still on, notwithstanding the report to the contrary. At the next regular meeting the new delegates will be admitted and the election of officers for the ensuing six months will be held. Action will also be taken on the matter of celebrating Labor Day in a fitting manner.

An invitation to attend the reception to be given Thomas Connelly, Friday night was received.

Money they need, stock is too heavy, these are the reasons for the unusual sale the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. are preparing. See Wednesday's paper for further news.

IN THE RAIN

HOW THE CYCLISTS FARED YESTERDAY.

Yesterday was the worst day the cyclists have experienced this season. Hundreds went to Silver lake and other points outside of the city, and were caught in the rain. The spectacle of the drenched cyclists, including many girls, was laughable and yet pitiable. On the return the road was muddy and dangerous. The mud got into the wheels and made them hard to run and then the slipping caused many falls. Every rider that returned in the rain had a stripe of mud thrown from the rear wheel up his back and over his head. Some of the women presented a similar spectacle. Many remained at farmhouses until a late hour and returned after the rain with little trouble. If some of the cyclists did not contract pneumonia yesterday, it was not their fault.

Wanted. 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

UNNECESSARY ALARM.

An alarm of fire from box 21 about 11 o'clock yesterday morning was an unnecessary one. Burning meat at the home of Martin Moran at the corner of South and Appleton street which caused much smoke, gave a passerby the impression that a big blaze was in progress.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERR. ST.

THE REDS DOWNED

Champions Rubbed It Into the Cincinnatis

LEWIS PITCHED A GREAT GAME.

The Result of the Other Games.

CINCINNATI, O., May 29.—All red pitchers look alike to Boston. Phillips was fated to take his medicine in the last game of the series and he got a great big dose.

The Champions were out for the last bun in the Red's pantry, but after Cincinnati had squeezed out of a couple of bad boxes, the crowd, which was of generous half-holiday proportions, settled down with the fond hope of seeing the Reds turn out a winner.

For about five minutes, the porkopolitans' colors were ahead for the first time in the series. It was Dame Fortune, however, who enabled the buckeyes to fluke in the pair of tallies that proved to be their entire stock at the wind-up.

The fickle dame was in a flirtatious mood and Boston got three by luck chances precisely like the one that had given Cincinnati life.

Lewis never pitched a better game of ball in his life. He had speed and in all save one inning good command. His drop ball was a beauty. It came sailing up to the plate with all the earmarks of a high one and then shot downward. Twice he fooled the Red's $5000 prize package and he made Selbach look foolish.

Most of his strike outs were on drops that were called. Beckley, who a few weeks ago, was not hitting a little bit, is about the only red who has done any stick work against Boston. He found the parson's delivery just to his liking, but fortunately for Boston he stood almost alone with his singles in a desert of pop ups.

Tenney all but had an afternoon off at first for when Reds were not keeping Bergen busy they were firing off sky rockets.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	8
Cincinnati	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Earned runs, Cincinnati. Boston, 5. Two-base hits, Smith, McPhee, Stahl, Stafford, Bergen. Three-base hit, Beckley. Double plays, Corcoran, McPhee and Beckley; Corcoran and Beckley; Miller and Beckley. First on balls, by Phillips, 3, by Lewis, 5. Umpires, Hunt and Connolly. Time 2h. Attendance 4100.

The other games resulted as follows: New York, 9; Louisville, 6; St. Louis, 7; Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.

Yesterday's games resulted as follows:

Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 1.
New York 4; Louisville 3.
Washington, 4; Chicago, 3.
Baltimore 15, Cincinnati, 9.

OTHER GAMES SATURDAY.

Lowell High, 13; Punchard High of Andover 6.
Shamrocks, 10; Emmets, 12.
Atlantics, 30, Calumets 16.
Columbians 16, Lawrence hosiery 12.
Crack-a-jacks, 20, T. R. & T.'s 18.
Spauldings, 10, Unions 9.
Tigers 33, Silent club, 32.
Beacons, 19; Courier Citizens, 9.

NEW ENGLAND GAME.

Manchester, 11; Lowell 7.

Information of priceless value to debilitated men—along with our trial treatment and marvelous developing appliance. Have cured thousands. Will cure you. Never disappoint. No advance pay or C.O.D. If not satisfied return everything to us. Our reputation and record justify our claims.

ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.

AGE NO BAR.

Everybody in Lowell is Eligible.

Old people stooped with suffering,
Middle age courageously fighting;
Youth protesting impatiently;
Children, unable to explain;
Baby crying, can't tell why;
All in misery from their kidneys.
Only a little backache first.
Comes when you catch a cold,
Or when you strain the back.

Backache is the first step of kidney trouble.

Many complications follow.

Urinary disorders, diabetes, Bright's disease,

Doan's Kidney Pills cure backache.

Cure every form of kidney ills.

Plenty of proof that this is so.

Mr. Almond Slader of 20 Richard St., says: "I was bothered for a long time with excessive action of the kidney secretions. Procuring Doan's Kidney Pills at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, the use of one box corrected the secretions to the extent of making them nearly normal. I believe Doan's Kidney Pills a thoroughly effective remedy for the kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

THE BON MARCHE DEPARTMENT STORE

LOWELL'S FAIRYLAND—THE PRIDE OF LOWELLL.

SPECIAL SALE

OF SMALL WARES, NOTIONS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERY, SILKS, BUTTONS, HOSE SUPPORTERS, ETC.

This Week--COAT THREAD 3c. SPOOL--This Week

Brainard and Armstrong's Silk, 5c a spool.
Brainard and Armstrong's Twist, 1c spool.
Brush Binding, 7c, for 4c yard.
Telegram Binding, 6c yard.
Worsted Skirt Braid (4 yards), 5c a piece.
Velvet Binding (4 yards), 7c a piece.
Hose Supporters, cheap at 10c, our price 7c a pair.
Cord Braid, all colors, 3c yard.
No. 4 Dress Shields, 15c pair.
No. 15 Dress Shields, 25c, 10c pair.
Velveteen Binding, (5 yds) 10c piece.
Waste Silk, 4c package.
SPECIAL—Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
15c Hair combs, 8c each.
25c Hair Brushes, 15c each.
5c box Hair Pins, 3c box
Hump Hooks, 1c card.
Darning Cotton, 2c ball.
See Gair's "Queen" Skirt Supporters. Special demonstration this week.
Filo Silk, 2 1-2c skein.
Silkette, the new substitute, 100 yards, 5c roll.
Cut Work Squares, 25c.
Satin Pin Cushions, 9c and upwards.
Dennison's Imperial Crepe Paper, new, all shades, decorations, 19c a roll.
Fancy Bead Edge, 5c yard.
Spangle Trimmings, were $1 to $1.97, now 25c yard.
Aplique Trimmings, were 75c and 98c, now 49c yard.
New Idea Patterns, 10c.
SPECIAL—Black Braid Trimmings, down—down.
Safety Pin Books, 6c book.
5c Star Binding (3 yds) 3c piece.
15c Stockenette Dress Shields, 7c pair, or 4 for 25c.
Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
200 yards Spool Thread, 1c spool
19c Sterling Dress Stays, 14c doz.
15c Dress Stays, 8c doz.
200 yards Basting Cotton, 1c spool.
Basting Thread, 500 yards, 5c spool.
10c Tooth Brushes, 7c each.
25c Nail Brushes, 15c each.
10c Curling Tongs, 6c pair.
25c Ivory Combs, 5c each.
SPECIAL—Brainard & Armstrong's Twist, 1c Spool.
25c Hose Supporters, fancy web, 19c pair.
Gold Eye Needles, 3c paper.
Linen Finish Thread, 3c spool.
Buttons covered to order in one hour's notice. Any size.
Linen Trays hemstitched, 12 1-2c.
Waist Embroidery Silk, assorted colors, 22c package.
Merse & Kaley Knitting Cotton, 5c ball.
Sofa Pillows, 25c.
Dress Trimmings—The largest line in the city. Read a few specials.
Colored Braid Trimmings which were 10c, now 5c yard.
Fancy Braid Trimmings, were 5 and 10c, now 3c yard.
SPECIAL—Buckles for dress trimmings which were 10c, now 5c.
Feders' Brush Binding, 6c a yard.
Pearl Buttons, 5c doz.
Heavy Pearl Buttons, 10c doz.
Very Fine Pearl Buttons, 15c doz.
Safety Pins, 5c doz.
Gents' Fine Armlets, cheap at 15c. Our price, 6c a pair.
Sewing Silk (100 yds.), 2c spool.
Hair Pins, 10 bunches for 4c.
19c Web Elastic, 10c yard.
16c Feather Stitch Braid, 6c piece.
5c Thimbles, 3c each.
SPECIAL—Pins (full count), 1c a paper.
Invisible Hair Pins 2 1-2c box.
Taffeta Binding (best quality) 10c piece.
Silk Feather Bone, 10c yard.
Twill Covered Bone, 7c yard.
Fancy Trimming Braid, for wash dresses, 4c and 6c yard.
The new Cuff for shirt waist cuffs, Special sale this week.
Cut Work Doylies, 5c.
Linen Floss, 1c skein.
H. B. Tambour Cotton, turkey red, blue and yellow, 1 1-2c spool.
Head rests, 15c.
New Idea Paper Patterns, only 10c each. All sizes, all styles.
Dennison Imperial Crepe Paper, all new, pretty shades, 9c roll.
Aplique Trimmings, were 49c, now 25c yard.
Colored Braid Trimmings, which were 25c, now 10c yard.
Special Spangle Trimmings, which were $1.00 to $1.97, 25c yd.
Fancy Bead Edge, 25c, 10c yard.

At The Bon Marche Dry Goods Company, THE PEOPLE'S BENEFACTORS

☞ Delicious Soda Drawn From Our New Fountain. Try It.

CARDERS AND PICKERS

SEC. CONNOLLY'S CALL FOR SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

Fellow Members of Carders' and Pickers' Textile union: You are all requested to attend the semi-annual meeting of your Union which will be held next Tuesday evening, May 30, at 173 Merrimack street and will be called to order at 8 o'clock precisely.

Let every member make an effort to attend this meeting and aid in choosing a full board of officers, with an executive committee, five collectors, seven delegates to the Trade and Labor Council; also the same number, seven delegates to the Textile Council, and put your active, energetic and ambitious members where they can do most to advance the cause of labor.

—THOMAS F. CONNOLLY, Sec'y.

SPECIAL SALE

OF LADIES' OXFORDS, a line that retail for $1.50 on Monday and Tuesday only.

$1.19 a pair.

J. J. LONERGAN,

215 DUTTON ST.

NINE WERE KILLED

In a Railroad Wreck at Waterloo N.Y.

CARS DERAILED BY A WASH OUT.

Sad Scenes Among Dying and Wounded.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERLOO, Ia., May 29.—The through train from Chicago to Minneapolis over the Rock Island and Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railways, was wrecked at 1.15 yesterday morning at the crossing of Sink Creek about four miles southeast of this place. The train consisted of six coaches, including mail and baggage car, smoking car, two passenger coaches and sleeper. Nine persons were killed and 23 injured. The dead are: E. L. Arnold, lumberman, Minneapolis; W. A. McLaughlin, Muskegon, Mich.; R. H. Schwette, Alton, Ill.; David Halle, Minneapolis; F. S. Carpenter, St. Louis; —— Hawkins, Pullman conductor; George Wainwright, train conductor; Wm. Schollian, Waterloo, and one unknown person.

The engine struck the washout and was derailed in the ditch, and behind it the cars were piled up in a confused heap. The mail car tipped over and was telescoped by the baggage car, while the rear end of the baggage car in turn telescoped the smoker. The roof of the sleeper ploughed its way through the day coach while the lower half of the latter crashed through the sleeper. The engineer and fireman jumped and escaped with slight injuries.

Mr. Schwette was brought to this city alive but died at 8 o'clock. He was on his way to Minneapolis where he was to be married today. He asked his physician to telegraph his father and his sweetheart. "Tell her," he gasped, "that I have been detained by a wreck and cannot keep the appointment on time. Don't say any more." Then he lapsed into unconsciousness and died.

This was but one of many affecting scenes of the wreck.

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," cold weather in the month of May badly overstocked the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., but the public will get the benefit in the gigantic mark-down sale they are preparing. See Wednesday's papers for particulars.

SACRED HEART BAZAAR.

The fair which has been going on at the Sacred Heart school hall came to a close Saturday after a successful run of two weeks, and it was a grand success. The following were the lucky ones, as they were the winners of the large prizes: 5000 feet of land, Miss L. Fisher, 17 London street; $25, E. F. McGlone; dinner set, Minnie McKeown, Newhall street; parlor lamp, O. E. Baril, 102 Chelmsford street; stove, Rev. Fr. Gigault of the Immaculate Conception church; velvet couch, Mrs. Barrows, 19 Newhall street; barrel of flour, Lawrence Farley, Chapel street. The following named persons were the winners for selling the largest number of season tickets: Sarah Daley, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Donahue, and Miss Flannigan.

The other awards will be announced on Thursday.

$50,000 is needed by O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., and to raise it at once they are preparing a gigantic sacrifice sale of their entire stock. Read their advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

DR. MARTEL'S BOOK,

"Relief for Women"

Sent free, in plain, sealed envelope. Write to-day for this Book, containing Particulars and Testimonials of DR. MARTEL'S French Female Pills. Praised by thousands of satisfied ladies as safe, always reliable and without an equal. Sold by all druggists in metal box, French flag on top in Blue, White and Red. Take no other. French Drug Co., 381 & 383 Pearl St., New York City.

OLD STYLES

Were all right when they were new styles, but the people of today demand clothing that is in style today and tomorrow and the days to come. Every garment we make is of the newest and choicest materials, and is up-to-date in every detail and essential.

LOUIS ALEXANDER
IMPORTER & TAILOR
65 CENTRAL STREET.
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It's the Best Place

You Always Feel Safe. The Old Reliable" Firm of

COOK, TAYLOR & CO., Central Street

Is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from "way down below" clear up through the frozen gold mines of Alaska. Every man, woman and child knows that if they buy themselves, or recommend a neighbor, honest, square dealing is meant for all and at all times. Every promise of last week, last year, or for past decades, have been faithfully kept and goods just as advertised have been given to the public. It's the same today in every department. Honest, clean, fresh, up-to-date, reliable goods at low prices boom business and each week makes a substantial gain in our sales. June is the month to shed the winter underwear, the entire family should make a grand change. Our stock fills all wants and desires. Everything comes to us from the knitting machines direct. Prices range according to quality, from 5c, for a complete Jersey Vest for women up to silk goods worth several dollars each. For this special sale week, see the Ladies' Vests at 10c, 2 for 25, 19c, and 25.

Today we place on sale 75 dozen Percale and Gingham Dresses for children from four months to four years at 25c, each, which no other concern can show for less than double our price.

500 pairs regular 49c, Summer Corsets, with lacings free at only 25c, a pair.

5000 Pieces auction Laces and Hamburg Edgings, All Overs and Puffing, Tucking, etc., full 25 to 50 per cent. under value. For instance, 5 pieces regular 65c, Hamburg, All Over, 35c, yard.

We carry a stock of nearly 100 dozen Reliance House Dresses and Wrappers at from 50c, up to $1.75 each and from 32 to 48 bust measure, made from best Prints, Lawns, Percales. This is a perfect fitting article in all cases.

Novelties in neckwear, Ribbons, Belts, Girdles, Bustless Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Aprons. Come and see, whether you desire to buy or not.

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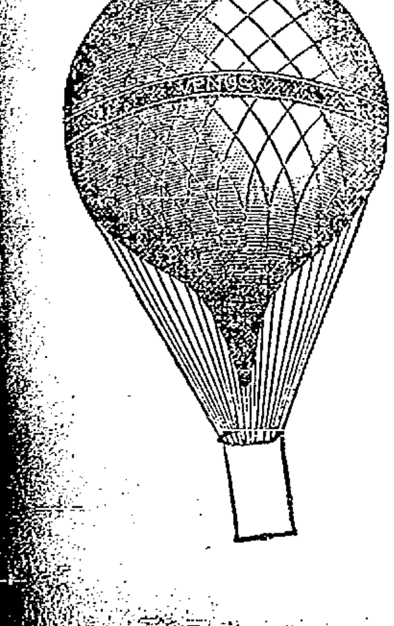
WALBROOK! WALBROOK!

TUESDAY, MEMORAL DAY, TOMORROW.



Prof. Kabrich will distribute 25 deeds of WALBROOK LOTS to ease, without cost, the heart aches of the lucky finders. Why ease the heart aches? Because many will be disappointed on the noon of Tuesday, when, perchance, they will find that all the saleable lots in WALBROOK have been sold. It looks that way now. In any event we shall reserve 25 lots, the deeds of which are to be hurled from the crystal battlements of the GREAT ASCENDING AIRSHIP ABOVE WALBROOK. Races, Games, Sports, etc., are the order of the day. The Prizes to consist of WALBROOK LOTS, Silverware, Watches, etc. Come early and bring your knitting. You'll find the latch-string out or else the door "open, wide open," and the key thrown away. Arrangements have been made with the Street Railway Company to run cars to Walbrook every 3 minutes during the afternoon of Tuesday, Memorial Day. It is rumoured that the selectmen of Dracut contemplate holding a special session this week to canvass the advisability of changing the name of the "Navy Yard" Village to WALBROOK. The name WALBROOK is in the AIR, and the name has a certain gentlemanly AIR ABOUT It. The people are contrasting WALBROOK LOTS and prices against these and those of and in other localities. Result—we cannot prepare the papers fast enough to satisfy the demands of our lot purchasers in WALBROOK.

A trolly car passes WALBROOK ever ninety seconds. 5c, fare from WALBROOK to any part of Lowell.

Walbrook Lot Prices, $19, $35, $49, $75 and $95, Ten Per Cent. Less for Cash

Terms $2 to $5 Down and 50c. to $1 a Week,

Without interest, taxes, notes or mortgages. No forfeiture. Free lots to HEIRS in case of death of purchaser. Please don't ask where WALBROOK is AT. Just take any Lakeview Ave. car at AT Merrimack Square—You'll find WALBROOK the fairest spot an earth in less than 15 minutes. If it takes more than 15 minutes by your watch you should consult a jeweler. You can get free tickets to WALBROOK also plans, etc., for the asking. If you ever intend to own a home act now before all the best lots are sold.

WALBROOK LAND COMPANY,

WM. J. COUGHLIN, MANAGER.
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COMPARE THEM.

Compare The Sun with any newspaper printed in Lowell at the same time, or several hours later, and note the difference. You know a newspaper when you see it, and you also know a fake-sheet when you see one.

NIGHT EDITION

SIX O'CLOCK.

A BAR-ROOM FIGHT

Two Men Were Probably Fatally Injured.

"The Leddy Gang" Raised a General Disturbance in Robb's Saloon and Suffered for it.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Three men were stabbed in the abdomen in the course of a row in a restaurant in Tenth avenue early today and two of them are said to be fatally wounded. Adolf Rabb, the proprietor of the place and John McVea, a waiter in his employ are in custody, charged with doing the cutting.

Thomas McQuade, John Cashman, Owen Thompson and two others, all members of what is known as the "Leddy Gang" entered Rabb's restaurant last night where they created a disturbance, insulted the proprietor, threw dishes about the place, broke mirrors, and smashed furniture. They were finally ejected. Four or five hours later they returned and ordered food, which was served to them. They refused to pay their bills and again attaked Rabb and McVea, the waiter who retreated to the kitchen. There Rabb armed himself with an oyster knife and McVea picked up a club with which he defended himself. Finally the roughs were driven out of the place and a policeman was summoned by McVea rapping on the sidewalk with his club. Some distance from the restaurant, McQuade, Cashman and Thompson were lying on the sidewalk, bleeding from cuts in the abdomen. McQuade's entrails were protruding and Cashman's wounds were also very severe. McQuade said Rabb stabbed him, while Cashman and Thompson said they were wounded by McVea. The two men who were with those wounded made their escape but the police know their names and are searching for them.

MAY PROCESSION

Beautiful Annual Observence in Catholic Churcees.

The last day of the post-prandial season was marked at St. Patrick's by an unusually large number of communicants at the early masses. Rev. Fr. Leonard celebrated 9 o'clock mass and Rev. Fr. Burke sang high mass at 10.30. The sermon on the gospel of the day was preached by Rev. Fr. McHugh. Several hundred parishioners of St. Patrick's visited Lawrence in the afternoon to witness the annual May Day procession at St. Mary church in that city. The St. Mary's school children in the procession were in charge of Bro. Raphael, formerly of St. Patrick's Boys' school of this city.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

The celebrant of the solemn high mass, marking the close of the Forty Hours' Devotion was Rev. Fr. Campeau, O.M.I., master of novices at Tewksbury; Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O.M.I. deacon and a novice brother, sub-deacon. Joseph McCraffrey, master of ceremonies. The number of communicants at the morning masses was the largest ever seen at the church on any similar occasion. As many as five different sodalities, male and female, received each in a body, and were followed by members of the general congregation. The entire number could not be less than 1500.

In the evening the annual May procession took place. It was confined within the church as the weather made outside appearance impossible. Congregational singing was a feature of the service and through the open windows the great volume of sound was distinctly audible as far East as Livermore street.

Rev. Fr. Joyce briefly addressed the congregation on the subject of devotion to the Mother of God and recited the litany and an act of consecration to the Blessed Virgin. A reception of new members into the Children of Mary society was held in the afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The children of this parish who are to receive first communion at the 7.30 mass next Wednesday with those who are to be confirmed next Tuesday, June 6, go into retreat Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Lawrence will preach to the children. Parents are obliged to see that their children make the retreat. The Corpus Christi procession be held next Sunday evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Memorial services were held last evening at St. Andrew's church in North Billerica, a large delegation of Grand Army men being present.

The church was decorated for the occasion with red, white and blue bunting and many small flags added to the effect.

The services commenced promptly at 7 o'clock with solemn vespers, Rev. C. A. Paquette, O.M.I., pastor of the church, officiated and there was singing by the choir, under the direction of John Fairbrother.

The solos were excellently sustained by Mr. Fairbrother, Mrs. Agnes Lyons, and Miss Mary Emmett.

Rev. Fr. Paquette, O.M.I., addressed the congregation, his subject being "Patriotism."

COLONIAL BAZAAR

Fair In St. John's Aid Closed Saturday

THE LIST OF AWARDS OF PRIZES

The Sacred Heart Bazaar Also Concluded.

The Colonial bazaar in aid of St. John's hospital came to a close on Saturday evening at Associate hall, after a most successful week's run. The hall was crowded every evening and also each afternoon that there was any form of entertainment. A large sum has been realized on the affair.

The awards:

Georgia—Many clocks, much silver and table ware and other valuables were awarded to patrons through the medium of the post office.

Rhode Island—This table had many costly articles for competition yet to be distributed as all the returns are not in. There was a contest between little Collinsville girls for a gold watch. It went to Miss Julia Murphy, who brought in $23. Miss Annie Hennesey gave $20.34 and Miss Dowd gave her a consolation token.

Connecticut—A diamond ring went to Sadie Wall of 134 Merrimack corporation, who had $66.25. Mamie Mahoney of No. 7 Merrimack corporation, was a close competitor with $65. A rocking chair went to Mamie Stapleton of Mahoney's Block for $5.50 to $5.55 for John McGuirk of 116 Prince street. Sofa cushion, Nellie MacDonald, 90 East Merrimack street; trained nurse doll, Arthur G. McQuade, 227 Concord street velvet cushion, Miss Clancy, 411 Riverside street embroidered cushion, Dan Ellsworth, 3 Pollard avenue; castor, Arthur Senter, 238 Cabot street; amethyst rosary, Nora A. Murphy, Walker street.

Virginia, Mirror, John Clinton, Ballardvale; dress suit case, Lizzie Clark, 228 High street; umbrella, John F. Golden, 203 Fletcher street; $10 gold piece, Frank McCaul, 47 Cross street; rose jar, Annie Ogg, 82 Lawrence street; sofa pillow, M. A. Brennan, 46 Fort Hill avenue; lace handkerchief, Perry Thompson: modelling, Mrs. John H. Morrison; doylie, Rev. Martin Lee, Franklin: ring, Con. Sullivan, Maple street; cigars, E. Dennett, 13 Tenth street; Trilby cushion, Bridget Trimble, 465 Central street; child's sacque, Frank Wood, 18 Meadowcroft street; book, Mrs. Coughlin, 874 Central street; picture, Lizzie Clark 228 High street. The dinner set, toilet set, wrought iron set, silk dress, knives and forks and doylies on which there was much competition, are yet to be disposed of, as not all the entries were received when the fair closed.

New York—A gold watch went to Kate Roherty, Foster street, for $53; Battenburg center piece, Rev. Wm. D. Joyce, O. M. I.; lace vest, Mrs. J. H. Guillet, 17 Dodge street; lace set, J. H. Ryan, Union Brass Foundry; palm, Nora A. Murphy, Walker street; fancy cushion, Mrs. A. P. Dow, 15 Fernald street sofa pillow, Mrs. J. A. Connor, Glidden avenue; china set, Jennie Doherty, Pleasant street; princess doll, Mr. Wallace; bedspread, Gertie Carroll, Market street; lamp mat, Susie J. Hewson, 374 High street.

Pennsylvania—Lady of Lourdes, Alice Harningham, 75 Chapel street; ice wool shawl, Delia Mack, 87 South street; five o'clock tea set, Allen Ryan, 568 Broadway; ambulance scene, Mary Payton, 178 Fayette street; box cigars, E. T. Donohoe, 16 Merrill street; fan, Tootle Cooney, Plummer street.

Massahusetts—Chafing dish, Mary Quirk, 65 Adams street; operating cane, Mary Smith, East Dracut.

Maryland—Rocking chair from E. Delisle, Fr. Gagnon, O. M. I.; piano cover from Grey Nuns, Azilda Boisvert; opera glasses from Mr. Legault, Grazella Lequin; card case from Emma Lanoue, Mrs. August Jean; cigar case, Fr. Perron, O. M. I.; fancy basket from Mrs. A. Jean, A. Lebrie; fancy cake from J. W. Goulet, Nora A. Murphy; perfumery bottle from Lowell pharmacy, Eliza Choquette; smoking set from J. H. Beaulieu, Albert Guimond.

New Hampshire—Fancy shawl, Mrs. Hall, 40 Jewett street; fancy rocker, Annie Connolly, 198 Worthen street; boys' suit, Joseph O'Neill, 237 Bleachery street; umbrella Josie Moriarty, 607 Market street; lamp, F. J. McCormack, St. John's hospital; lemonade set, John J. Donovan, 30 Fayette street; Mexican handkerchief, John Lennon, 144 School street; handkerchief, Rev. Martin Lee, Franklin.

North Carolina table—Canary, Belle Swann, 54 Agawam street; fern, Mrs. O'Brien, 13 June street; doll, John J. Quirk, 14 Hildreth street; doll, Lucy Desmond, 265 Stackpole street; doll, Laura Bacheller, 203 Charles street; doll, George Sammel Leslie, 535 Westford street.

Just the Thing for a Wedding Gift.

A Piano Polish, Mother of Pearl Inlaid, Arm Rocker, Wood or Leather Seat, Quartered Oak or Mahogany Finish, well worth and sold to date for $5.00. Price this week.

$3.90

That's $1.10 out of your pocket and into yours, and $2.10 if you have the bad habits of buying elsewhere; and it will draw you to our store and make a regular customer for The People's Favorite Furniture Store.

A. E. O'HEIR & CO., 14, 16 and 18 Merrimack St.

CLARK KIDNAPPING

Man Under Arrest Knows Something About it.

He Told a Young Lady That He Knows Where the Child is and Who the Kidnapper is.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Justice Craemer in Brooklyn today held a man giving the name of Robert Nugent in $200 bail on the technical charge of vagrancy. He described himself as a varnisher, 30 years old, and his home as Boston.

Nugent entered the store of Frederick Falzer at 216 Nassau street, in Brooklyn, and seeing the shopkeeper's daughter, spoke of the Clark kidnapping case. He said he knew the woman who kidnapped the child Marion Clark and where the child was held. He then left the store but was followed and pointed out by Falzer to Policeman Burns, who arrested him. Nugent denied that he had spoken of the Clark case at all, saying that it was imagination on the part of Falzer. Later he was taken before Deputy Chief of Police MacKellar, but he again denied everything. A card with the name "William F. Jackson, rag-time pianist" was discovered in his pocket.

THE DREYFUS CASE

Again Before the Court of Cassation

A Large Attendance at the Opening Session When the Application for Revision Was Called up.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PARIS, May 29—The Court of Cassation met today to hear the debates in the application for a revision of the Dreyfus case.

The procedure will consist of the reading of the report of the civil section of the court, M. Ballot de Beaupre; a speech by Maitre Mornard, Conseil for Mme. Dreyfus and an address upon the part of the public posecutor, M. Manu, after which the court will retire to deliberate upon a verdict, which, it is expected, will be rendered on Friday or Saturday.

The doors of the Palace of Justice were opened at 11 o'clock. Persons connected with the case, newspapermen and others, began to arrive half an hour previously. There was much animation in the lobbies of the Palace, but the crowds in the vicinity were not numerous.

The witnesses who have testified in the Dreyfus case were admitted by a door on the left of the palace and these connected with the trial of Mm. Deroulede and Marcel Babert, for inciting soldiers to insubordination in connection with the election of President Loubert, which is also before the court today, were admitted by a door on the right of the building.

The court room was filled with Parisian celebrities, the greater part of the hall having been reserved for ticket-holders. Many judges belonging to other courts were among those present and absolute tranquility reigned. There were about twenty ladies among the audience, filling the galleries.

The proceedings commenced at noon amidst profound silence, the president of the civil section of the court reading his report on the case. After recalling the conditions under which the prosecution of Dreyfus was instituted in 1894 he dealt with the contradictory evidence of the experts in handwriting and mentioned the protest of innocence by Dreyfus, who said to Lieut. Col. Henry: "This odious accusation is the death of my life. I must have justice done me."

Henry replied that the matters did not come with his competence.

While the Dreyfus case was proceeding in one part of the palace of justice the Assize court on the other side of the building, was occupied with the trial of Mm. Deroulede and Marcel Hebert who are charged with inciting soldiers to insubordination on the day of the election of President Loubet. Conspicuous among the audience were Mm. Rochefort, Col. Monteil and Francoise Coppee.

CARGO ON FIRE

SEVERAL PASSENGERS OF THE ALESIA BURNED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ALGIERS, May 29.—The French steamer Alesia, Captain Coste from Marseilles, May 19, for Palermo and New Orleans with 233 passengers on board, has arrived here with her cargo of sulphur on fire. The cook of the vessel was asphyxiated and several passengers were burned.

THE NUTONE CLUB.

The date of the next meeting of the Nutone Athletic club has been fixed at June 7th, instead of June 5th, and the attraction will be George Gardner and Young Sharkey with John Dion of the P. A. C., and Tom McLaughlin of Ireland in a preliminary.

CAPT. TILLEY DEAD

Head of the Signal Service Shot Down.

Lured to Cable House by a White Flag—The Insurrection Takes on New Lease of Life--Americans Forced to Feed the Helpless Filipinos.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 29.--11.25 a. m.--Captain Tilley of the Signal Corps, with a detachment made up of other members of the corps landed at Escalante, on the Island of Negros, to pick up and repair the cable. The natives had a white flag flying over the cable house when the party landed. The latter, however, were no sooner on shore than they were fired upon by the natives. They at once took to the water, and a number of them were picked up by a boat, but Captain Tilley and two native men of the party are missing. General Smith, with a detachment of troops, has started on board a gunboat to investigate the affair.

The transports Senator and Ohio arrived today.

INSURGENTS MORE AGGRESSIVE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 28.—The approach of the wet season finds the insurrection seemingly taking a new lease of life. All along the American lines the rebels are showing more aggressive activity, in their guerilla style, than at any time before the fall of Malolos. They keep the United States troops in the trenches, sleeping in their clothing, and constantly on the alert against dashes upon our outposts; and they make life warm for the American garrisons in the tie towns.

The bands of Gen. Luna and Gen. Mascardo, which retreated towards Tarlio when they feared they would be caught between Gen. MacArthur and Gen. Lawton, have returned in force to their old trenches around San Fernando, where there are daily collisions.

Opposite our lines on the south, protecting Manila, all the way around to San Pedro Macati, the Filipinos have three rows of trenches most of the distance.

Reports from prisoners indicate that the insurgents construe the peace negotiations to mean that the Americans have had enough of fighting. The Filipinos are also encouraged by the belief that the Americans are preparing for an interval of inactivity during the wet season.

This period is sure to be followed by much suffering. Thousands of acres that were under cultivation last year have not been ploughed this, and the government will probably be obliged to feed thousands, just as it fed the Cubans.

AGUINALDO REPORTED DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The Sun this morning prints the following cablegram:

"MANILA, May 28.--The Spanish newspapers publish a report that is impossible of confirmation, to the effect that Aguinaldo is dead.

"The cause of his death, the papers say, is not exactly known, but they declare that he either committed suicide or was assassinated."

STEAMER PARIS

BELIEVED TO BE VERY BADLY STRAINED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

COVERACK, Cornwall, May 29.—Further attempt to float the American line steamer Paris have been abandoned until the next spring tides.

Fresh holes have been discovered in her fore part. There is no doubt the Paris is badly strained. Fortunately the weather continues fine and sea smooth.

Wanted, 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

Mr. Curtis DesRoches of Worcester is visiting his brother on Appleton street. He came from Worcester on his wheel yesterday.

Putnam & Son

We Have Just Received

from a famous manufacturer between a thousand and twelve hundred Boys' Blouses, all in handsome patterns and made with Woven Cheviots or Garner Percales. The price paid for the lot was far below the actual value of the goods. We shall give you the benefit of our low offer and cash purchase.

17c for Boys' Woven Cheviot Blouses.

Neat patterns in stripes and checks, medium and dark colors; sizes 8 years to 14; real value 25 cents.

23c for Boys' Garner

Percale Blouses, sizes 8 years to 14. Made from new patterns in light grounds, reds and blues; real value 35 cents.

38c for Boys' Best

Garner Percale Blouses, light ground, red light blue and navy grounds; are printed from French designs; sizes 8 years to 14; real value 50 cents.

23 Cents.

for Fauntleroy Blouses; sizes 3 years to 10; deep ruffled collar, front and cuffs; Garner Percales in new designs; real value 35 cents.

38 Cents

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THE SUN EXTRA

THREE NEW CASES

Of Small Pox Discovered in Fall River.

SEVEN HOUSES HAVE BEEN CLOSED

And 105 People are in Quarantine.

THE SCHOOLS MAY BE CLOSED.

A Temporary Hospital May be Erected.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

FALL RIVER, Mass., May 29.—The small pox epidemic in this city continues to spread. Three more cases of it were discovered today. They are on Lindsey, Morton and St. Mary's streets which are in the vicinity of Murray street, where the disease was first discovered. Seven houses have been closed and it is probable that others will be in a few days. There are now eight cases on record and 17 persons who have been affected. In quarantine there are at present 105 persons. The help employed in the mills in the vicinity and the children in the schools are being vaccinated. It is probable that the schools will be closed within a few days.

A man has been discovered in Tiverton who slept with his brother on Murray street, after the latter had been taken ill and he has been brought here and placed in quarantine.

The board of health is considering the erection of a temporary hospital at Somerset Junction for the cases, the building to be burned after the disease has been exterminated and the city government will meet tonight to take action.

GENERAL ALARM

For a Big Fire in Rockland.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ROCKLAND, Mass., May 29.—A general alarm called out the entire fire department at 2.15 o'clock this afternoon for a fire in a large livery and sale stable on Vernon street, owned by W. P. Mason. The building was enveloped in flames when the firemen arrived and several surrounding buildings, including a large hotel, the Richardson house were in danger, several of them having caught in different spots from the fire in the stable.

The fire originated in the hay loft, from some unknown cause. Nearly forty horses and many carriages which were in the barn at the time were removed to places of safety.

WHITSUNTIDE GAMES

THE NAMES OF THE LUCKY PRIZE WINNERS.

The following were the winners of the Whitsuntide games at the Fair Grounds Saurday afternoon:

Hop, step and jump, won by Cunningam, 39 feet, nine inches; J. Carr, second, 28 feet, 3 inches.

Half-mile bicycle race, won by Patrick Reagan; time, 1 minute 23 seconds; Laveeue, second.

Putting the 9 1-2 ound shot, won by W. McCleery, 30 feet, 2 inches; P. C. Keefe, second.

Half-mile running race, won by C. J. McNulty; G Sargent, second; no time taken.

Children's races—75 yard dash, won by Eugene Rogers; girls' race, won by Marion Martin; boys' shoe and barrel race, won by William Dwyer; boys' potato race won by Frank Atkinson; girls' potato race won by Minnie Emslie; skipping contest, won by Mabel Emslie skipped 320 times; skipping contest, double rope, won by Georgianna Campbell, skipped 321 times; egg race won by Louisa Howarth.

Music for the occasion was furnished by the Talbot Mills band and the committee of arrangements were:

George Emslie, Abraham Butterfield, John Usher, John Green, Fred Toy, William Walker, James Dawson, William Fryers, Fred Pickles, Edwin Cornock, James Howarth, Alfred Bradley, Thomas Steel, Harry Needham, Joseph Wilmott, Joseph L. Howarth and John Barnes.

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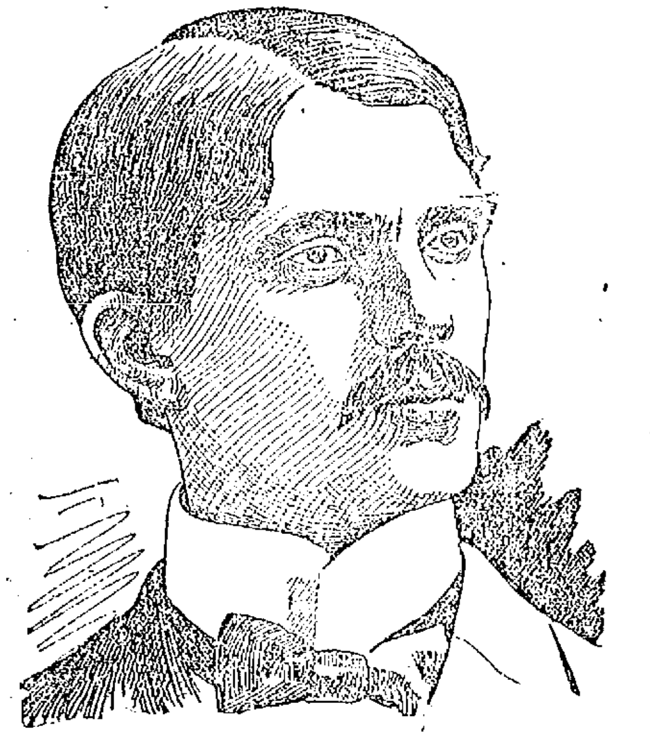
THE SUN LATEST!

5 O'CLOCK

FINAL MUSTER OUT

Of Private Harvey Aldrich of Company G.



The Late PRIVATE HARVEY M. ALDRICH.

Impressive Service at First Baptist Church—Stirring Eulogy by Rev. Smith T. Ford—Military Honors to the Dead Soldier.

With full military honors, all that was mortal of the late Private Harvey M. Aldrich was laid to rest in the Edson cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Shortly after 1 o'clock prayer was offered at the residence, 23 Washington street by Rev. Smith T. Ford in the presence of a large number of friends relatives and neighbors of the deceased, the military and fraternal organizations remaining drawn up in line "face front" on the street outside the windows. As the remains were being borne from the house enclosed in a steel gray casket, wrapped up in the American flag, the Lowell Military band performed with great feeling and effect Missud's "To Unknown Heroes." Then the journey began to the church through Washington, to Hale, Cambridge, Chelmsford, Appleton, Church and George streets. The sidewalks and streets along the route traversed were lined with people, as were the thoroughfares adjacent to the First Baptist church where the funeral services were held, but Lieut. Webster with a detail of the day shift of the police department kept the crowds at a respectful distance so as not to interfere with the funeral procession.

The ushers from Company G were Privates Crowell, Doyle, Kenney, Delmore, Brackley and Haskell, and they were assisted in their duties by the regular ushers of the church. Long before two o'clock, the friends of the deceased began to arrive but the combined corps of ushers was efficient to take care of the gathering. For awhile the general public remained outside of the auditorium but the galleries were filled early. A large delegation of Eirene lodge arrived and was given a place on the right of the church.

When the body was brought into the church the band performed "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and Mr. A. F. French performed a funeral march on the organ.

The front of the pulpit platform was draped with black and white and the banisters leading to the pulpit with red, white and blue bunting. When the flowers arrived they were arranged on small tables below the pulpit and surrounding the large gilt-framed picture of the dead soldier. Several of the ladies of the church assisted the ushers in the arrangement.

The service began at 2.30 when Rev. S. T. Ford and Rev. Thomas Sayers entered the auditorium by the center door, the former reading a passage of scripture, "I am the Recurrection and the Life." They were immediately followed by Captain Carr of Company G and the casket containing the remains of Private Aldrich, borne by the eight bearers and covered with an American flag. Next followed the mourners and friends, including Major Greig and ex-Mayor Bennett. Then came the members of the military companies and volunteers and the public and when all were seated, the quartet consisting of Mrs. W. H. Pepin, Miss Lena Reid, Mr. Oscar Walsh and Mr. Warren T. Reid feelingly rendered "Sometime We'll Understand."

"Not now, but in the coming years,
It may be in the better land,
We'll read the meaning of our tears,
And there sometime we'll understand.
Then trust in God, thro' all thy days
Fear not for He doth hold thy hand.
Tho' dark the way, still sing and praise,
Sometime We'll Understand."

Rev. Thos. Sayers then invoked the divine blessing and also read the scripture lesson, after which the quartet sang "I'm Going Home."

My heavenly home is bright and fair,
Nor pain nor death can enter there;
I'm going home, I'm going home,
I'm going home to die no more."

After Rev. Mr. Ford sought the divine blessing, the quartet rendered "Abide With Me" and the former then began his eulogy with the following appropriate words:

The muffled drum's sad roll has beat
The soldiers' last tattoo,
No more on life's parade shall meet
That brave and fallen few.
On fame's eternal camping ground,
Their silent tents are spread,
And glory guards with solemn sound
The bivouac of the dead."

Pastor Ford then spoke in part as follows: "There is something strangely beautiful that on this day when all through our beloved land the comrades of the G. A. R. gather in sacred service having in mind the decoration of the graves of their dead heroes, it has become our solemn duty to pay a tribute of respect and high honor to one who belonged to our great army. He was a part of the nation's army, one who bared his bosom to the storm of battle and gave himself which is the most that anyone could give, to his country and to his country's call. While from year to year, we gather to strew flowers on the graves of the heroic dead, the blossoms will fall on the sod above the brow of him whose comradeship, whose suffering and whose kinship in a great cause unites him with those who struggled at Concord and Lexington, of those who charged up Malvern Hill or stood at old Appomattox; unites him with all he loved, the flag and liberty, and he counted the nation's honor more than life itself.

He is a part of the nation now, because his heart throbbed with the nation's anguish. He indeed is more a part of the nation than we are. He belonged more to the world than to the

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"Two Heads Are Better Than One.

One, however, is the portion allotted to the average mortal. If this one aches and will not work properly, it is worse than none. Then the stomach is blamed, or the kidneys and liver are censured. But as a fact, the blood is solely responsible for the condition of these organs. Purify it and they will be made healthy.

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OPERATIVES OUT

Accident in Carpet Mills This Morning.

A steam pipe on one of the boilers in the Carpets mills broke down shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon, necessitating a shut down of nearly all the departments of the great plant. The operatives were told to return to work this afternoon and it is thus expected that the break will be speedily remedied.

AMBULANCES CASES

BICYCLIST'S HIP FRACTURED—MAN FELL FROM NASHUA CAR.

William Davidson of 780 Gorham street, was thrown from his bicycle yesterday morning on Upper Gorham street and had his hip fractured. The ambulance removed him to St. John's hospital.

A man named George McMullen was hurled from a Nashua car at the corner of Lakeview avenue and Aiken street at about 7 o'clock last night and was severely bruised about the head. The ambulance was summoned and it had got as far as the corner of Bridge street on its way to St. John's hospital, when McMullen, who by this time was confident that he could walk refused to go any further.

NOTICE REMOVAL.

On and after the present date, I shall vacate my law office in Glidden Building and take office in Tyler's block, 71 Central street, corner Market.

—F. C. Wright,
Lowell, Mass., June 1st, 1899.

John F. Crowley, better known as "Jasper" formerly of the Park Exchange, has accepted a position with W. H. Hanley, manager of the Interstate Household and Mackintosh Supply Co., of Providence, R. I.

HOMING BIRDS

COMPETED IN A FINE RACE SATURDAY.

Thirty-nine birds of the Lowell homing club competed in the second old bird race Saturday from Hartford, Conn., to this city, a distance of 100 miles.

The birds were liberated by Mr. Turnbull in Hartford and were out 2 hours, 45 minutes. The weather was fair for flying and the wind southwest.

The competitors had the following number of birds in the fly: Dyer, 10; Youngjohns, 12; Fletcher, 5; Conroy, 7; Sanley 3; Fallch 2.

Following were the winners: Dyer first, second and third, average speed of birds, 1035, 1031 and 1022 yards per minute respectively: Youngjohns 4th and 5th, average speed of 992 and 998 yards per minute, respectively. Youngjohn's birds also won sixth, seventh eighth, ninth and tenth places.

The fly next Saturday will be from Paterson, N. J., to Lowell, 200 miles.

FELL INTO A SCUTTLE.

Florence O'Neil, an employe of the Lowell Machine shop fell into a scuttle while at work this morning and was severely bruised about the head. He was removed to the corporation hospital in the ambulance. After having his wounds attended to he was able to walk to his home on the Merrimack corporation.

CITY HALL NOTES

Purchasing Agent Barrett on Saturday purchased a 15-ton Buffalo, Pitts steam road roller for the city at a cost of $3600.

The contract for five tons of lead for the water department was let out to John Ryan at $4.65 per hundred.

The committee on ordinances and legislation and the committee on streets will meet at 7.30 tonight, and the school board will meet at 8 o'clock.

The red books for 1899 have been distributed in such manner that many who are entitled to them cannot get any. For instance, City Messenger Fagan has on his desk 35 or more red books, sent him by the messengers of other cities, and he is unable to return the compliment.

The marriage of Purchasing Agent Barrett to Miss Lillian Farrell will take place on Wednesday, June 7.

About the meanest thing a man can do is to send a woman on any errand he hesitates to undertake for himself.

Ex-Supt. Doherty has returned from Pennsylvania.

HIGH SCHOOL REGIMENT.

The annual field day of the High school regiment is being held on the Fair Grounds today. A march was made this noon to the grounds through the principal streets. Company and individual prizes are offered for excellence in drill.

DIED HOMELESS

Alex Smith Passed Away In Ladd House

Alex. Smith, a homeless and apparently friendless man, about 45 years of age, died early this morning in the Ladd House, a cheap lodging house on Middlesex street, consumption evidently having caused his death.

Smith once worked in the Hamilton Dye House but misfortune overtook him and last year found him a sort of janitor at the Ladd House, where he died. Some time in June, he suddenly left Lowell and no more was heard of him until a few months ago, when he wrote a letter dated at Brattleboro, Vt., to Mrs. Ladd in which he gave evidence of great despondency.

On Saturday, he made his appearance at Mrs. Ladd's and being in a terrible physical condition was given a bed on the lower floor, the 10-cent apartments, for he was unable to walk upstairs.

Yesterday, Mrs. Ladd advised him to allow her to get the ambulance to remove him to the hospital, but Smith asked her to wait until today.

He then grew rapidly worse and died this morning. His body gives evidence of long illness and exposure.

Nothing is known of Smith except that he was a widower and is supposed to have a daughter living.

Secretary Courtney of the pauper department took charge of the remains.

POLICE COURT

A VERY LARGE GRIST BEFORE JUDGE HADLEY.

There were 40 drunks before Judge Hadley this morning, of which number twenty-three were arrested in Dracut and four from the Lawrence cars. Of the number Timothy J. Bresnahan, Minnie Kennedy and Hugh Molloy were each fined $10. Eleven were fined $5; four were fined $5 and one $3.

Of the sentences Mary D. Cote and Bridget McSorley each received three months in jail.

The following cases were continued: Martin Rainville and Henry St. George for drunkenness and violation of liquor law; Joseph Provost, drunkenness; and Maria Shanley, assault and battery.

The continued case of Joseph Reilly was further continued.

HIS LEG BROKEN.

Edward Foster, residing on the Tremont corporation and employed by Connors' brothers had his right leg severely crushed and broken by a heavy stone which he was removing from a freight car to his employers' team in Jackson street this morning. The ambulance, which was summoned, took him to St. John's hospital.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

John J. Lacey, 28, Mary A. Blakeney, 21; William F. Latour, 23, Mary J. Gordan, 25; Charles W. Wakefield, 50, Hattie G. Wills, 28; Belanie Richard, 33, Leocadie Paradis, 28; Joseph Michand, 29, Leontine D. Amois, 20; Harry J. Whitney, 22, Sadie E. Pillsbury, 22.

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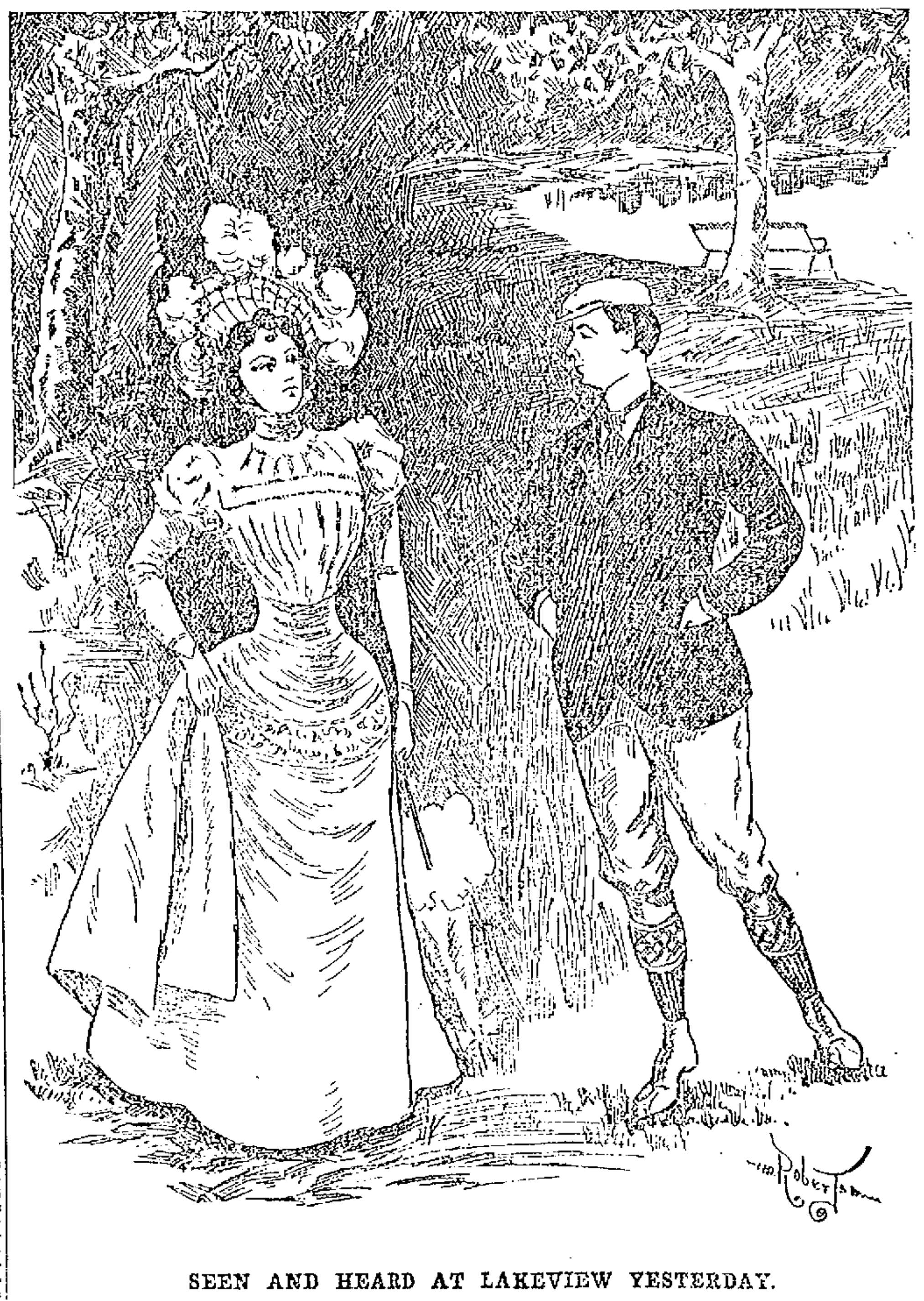

SEEN AND HEARD AT LAKEVIEW YESTERDAY.

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George: What can you expect under no-license?
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Gyp: And why there?
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FINAL MUSTER OUT.

(Continued.)

nation and with others ranks as a benefactor. But there is no more honor due to him than to the others who shared the perils of the war but were saved and came home to aid us in this sacred service.

Several lessons suggest themselves to me as the result of that struggle brief though it was. This soldier had a part in the struggle for the nation's honor and it was never mine to lift my voice with "Remember the Maine." I believe that never again will there be such a tragedy as that which was enacted in the harbor of Havana. The world had not then learned to give due respect to this country and to its valor. Hereafter American honor will be more respected and the principles for which America stands will be respected more because the world has found out that American institutions can produce that which the world has never before produced. This man's life was given for human liberty that others might possess that which you found of worth. These for whom you struggled may hardly seem to be worth it and I can't help feeling that lives like this and the lives of Ruckledge and Bellamy and others were too precious to be given for every one. Yet here comes in a sublime lesson of the gospel. We are growing into it and we are better because of it. We may feel that the price was too great for the freedom of these people, yet you have started them on a career and a future is before them. They are all human and I believe the time will come when you will feel that the purchase price was not too great. Don't expect too much of them now. Give them time.

The man who has a cause and has his heart in that cause will never know defeat. You have proven what a fraternity of arms can do.

Another lesson is the unification of our great country. There was the north and south, but the daring of Ensign Bagley, the bravery of Hobson, the brilliancy of Dewey and the dashing chivalry of Roosevelt and Gen. Joe Wheeler has cemented the union. It has established the efficiency of the citizen soldier, that the men can leave the workshop, the bench and the farm, like the minute men of old, and win such victories as have not been eclipsed.

Here before me I see the fraternity to which this young man belonged and indicating the spirit of fellowship that was in his heart. He recognized fraternity, fellowship and brotherhood, and we have them here. We have learned to love this soldier in church. He was faithful and earnest and willing and bore his burden in the church from love of God. So you have all gathered here to pay tribute to him who hears not your words and who did his duty as he understood it. Bring on the flowers and emblems of suffering and the white, the emblem of the resurrection and with a grateful people bend them above the noble head. A land worth dying for is a land worth living for."

The service then came to a close with a fervent prayer by Rev. Mr. Ford, followed by the rendition of the hymn, "Good Night."

All in the church were then given an opportunity to gaze upon the face of the deceased, all passing in front of the pulpit platform where the casket rested with a pillow at one end with the inscription in blue immortelles "Brother" and at the other end a large cross and anchor and a bunch of lilies of the valley.

The face showed full well the traces of the intense suffering the deceased had undergone and as he lay in the cold embrace of death, he was a mere shadow of his former self. As the body was being taken from the church, the band performed a prayer by Kreutzer. At 4 o'clock in a sudden downpour of rain, the remains were escorted from the church and the procession in the following order made its way to the Edson cemetery via Central and Gorham streets:

Lowell Military band, 25 pieces.

Company M, Capt. Mitten in command.

Company G. (without arms) Capt. Carr in command.

Company C (without arms) Lieutenant Livingston in command.

Hearse flanked by bearers.

Mourners in carriages.

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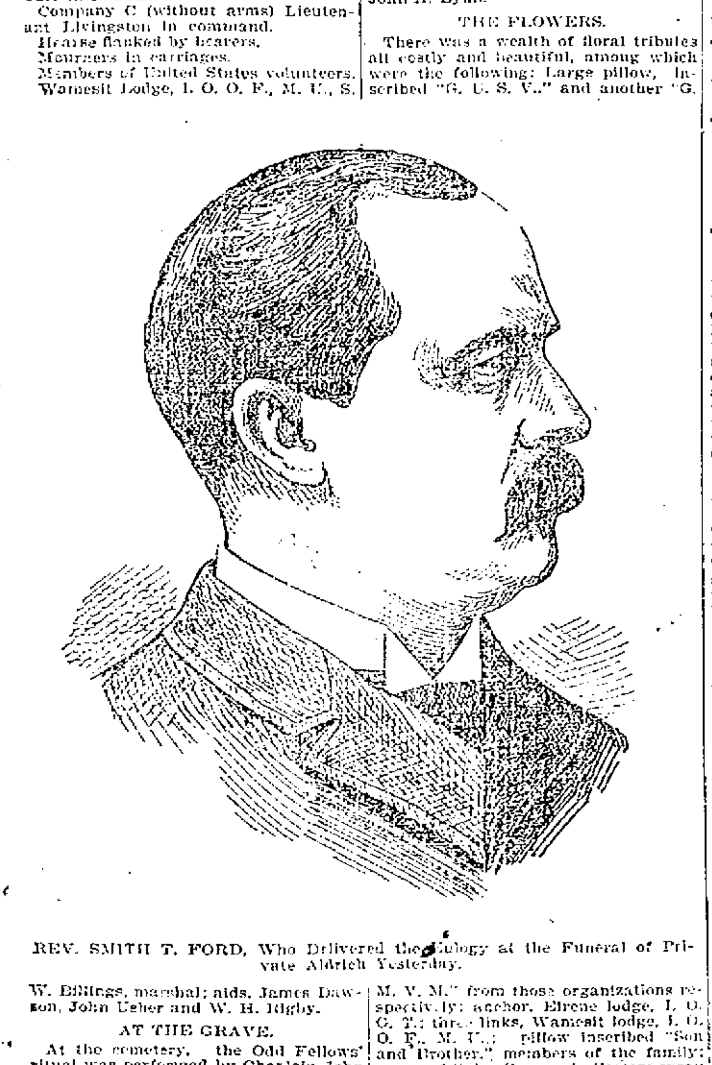
Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., S. W. Billings, marshal; aids, James Dawson, John Usher and W. H. Rigby.



REV. SMITH T. FORD, Who Delivered the Eulogy at the Funeral of Private Aldrich Yesterday.

AT THE GRAVE.

At the cemetery, the Odd Fellows' ritual was performed by Chaplain John Orrell of Wamesit lodge and the band played "The Vacant Chair." Taps were sounded by Bugler William Jacques and the responses were from the woods in the distance by Bugler Frances Riggs. Then the following squad fired the volleys over the grave: Corporal Fischer, Privates Baker, Goodwin, Caldwell, Chase, Dane, Keville and Borden.

Among the occupants of carriages were Major and Mrs. Alexander Greig, Jr.

The active bearers were the following members of Co. G: Sergts. Geo. McNamara, Fred C. M. Silk, Pearl Durrell and Caldwell, Corps. Murdock McKinnon, Daniel Hayes, Fred Hunton and French. The honorary pallbearers were the following members of Wamesit Lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U.: Isaac Tinker, John Barnes, E. J. Otley, Henry Eames, Frank Bailey, William H. Walsh, William Gale, and John A. Lynn.

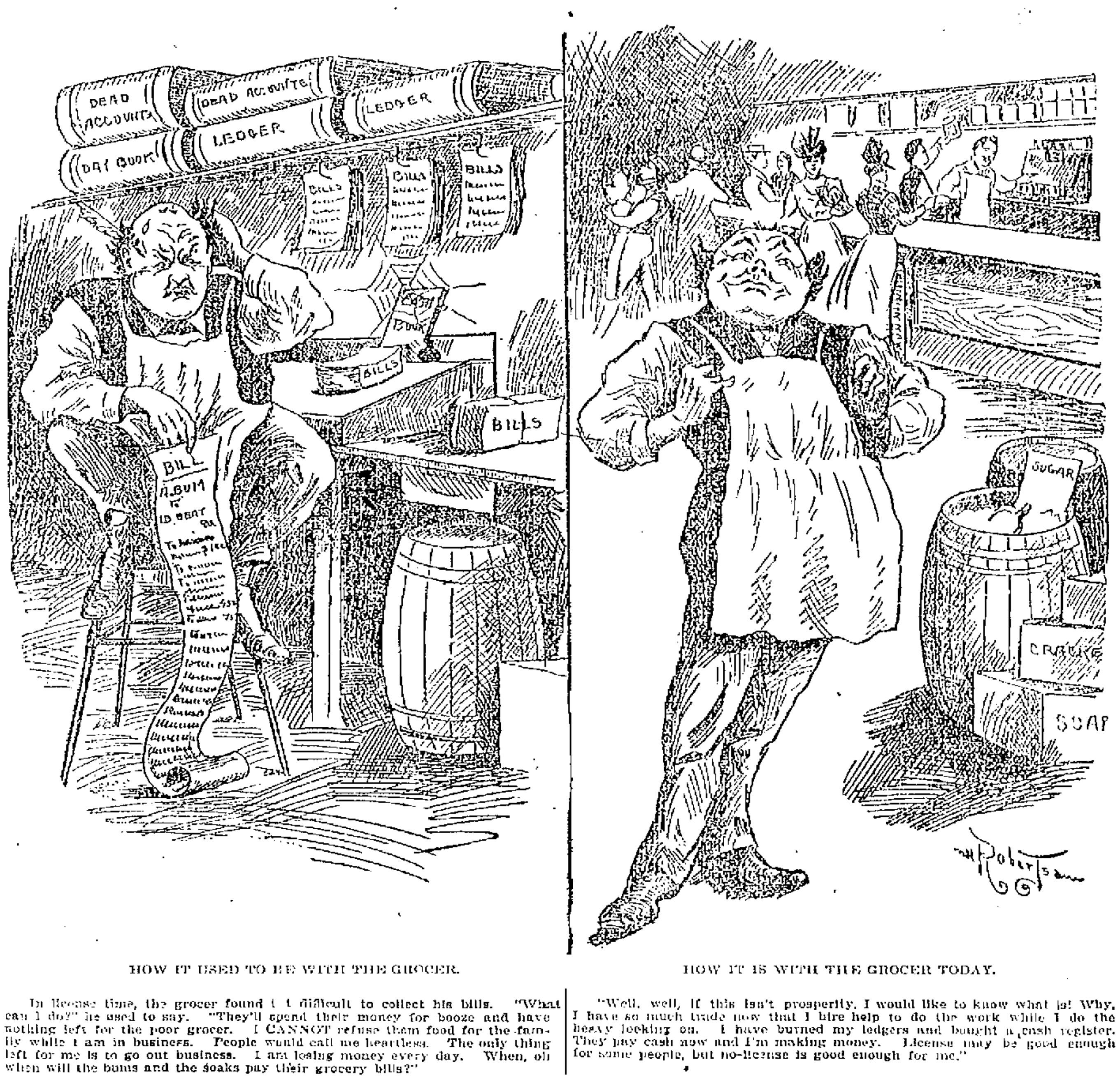
THE FLOWERS.

There was a wealth of floral tributes all costly and beautiful, among which were the following: Large pillow, inscribed "G. U. S. V.," and another "G. M. V. M." from those organizations respectively; anchor, Elrene lodge, I. O. G. T.; three links, Wamesit lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U.; pillow inscribed "Son and Brother," members of the family; spray of links, George A. Carter; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Whittaker; lilies of the valley, Miss A. Kendall; spray of pinks, Mrs. Phelps; standing cross, Y. P. S. C. E., of First Baptist church; wreath, Mrs. Leith, Mrs. Stoneham and Mrs. Henry; mound inscribed "Our Friend," from friends; bouquet, Robert W. Mountford; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kappler; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Stevens; white roses, the Misses Herrick; carnations, Miss Mary E. Adams; spray of stocks, Mr. and Mrs. Dean; spray of roses, Miss Beth Worthley; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Durant and family; spray of stocks, Miss Cummings; cross and crown, employes of W. H. Brown's grocery and friends; spray of pinks, Mrs. Herbert C. Bellamy; standing cross, ushers of the First Baptist church; mound with dove, Fay Aldrich and Miss Annie Aldrich; large wreath from Lowell Branch Volunteer Aid association; large star, library of the First Baptist church; spray of pinks, S. H. Davis; spray of pinks, Frank W. Brault and Miss Emma Chapman; spray of stocks, Mrs. Clark; spray of stocks and tulips, Miss Amy Stewart; anchor, Mr. and Mrs. McCarley and Murdock McCarley; spray of pinks, Frank and Jennie.

Undertaker Brooks had charge of the burial and Capt. Carr, general charge of the funeral arrangements.

Blow, bugles of sorrow, blow, taps of
the night;
Blow sweetly, blow softly as wavelets
of light.
Beside the tomb's portal lies splintered
pride's lance,
Rust cankers the sword of the meteor
glance.
The eagle whose wing could defeat to
earth dash,
As he soared 'mid the battlecloud's
thunder and flash,
O'er the carnage that seethed;
To gaze with full eye upon victory's
sun,
An arrow doth smite
From his glory-lit light;
The lord of the fight
By death is undone.

THE RESULTS OF NO-LICENSE.



HOW IT USED TO BE WITH THE GROCER.

HOW IT IS WITH THE GROCER TODAY.

In license time, the grocer found it difficult to collect his bills. "What can I do?" he used to say. "They'll spend their money for booze and have nothing left for the poor grocer. I CANNOT refuse them food for the family while I am in business. People would call me heartless. The only thing left for me is to go out business. I am losing money every day. When, oh when will the bums and the soaks pay their grocery bills?"

"Well, well, if this isn't prosperity, I would like to know what is! Why, I have so much trade now that I hire help to do the work while I do the heavy looking on. I have burned my ledgers and bought a cash register. They pay cash now and I'm making money. License may be good enough for some people, but no-license is good enough for me."

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.

MERRIMACK, PALMER AND MIDDLE STREETS.

An Important Event.

Particulars to be Announced in Wednesday's Papers.

We are forced by circumstances over which we have no control, to inaugurate this week a

Gigantic Mark Down Sale

Of our entire stock of merchandise consisting of Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Men and Women's Furnishings, Carpets, Furniture, Crockery and Kitchen Furnishings, comprising about $150,000 worth, to be offered without reserve, and sold at prices that will average from 50c to 65c on the dollar.

Wednesday's Papers Will Tell a Complete Tale of the Greatest and Grandest Carnival of Low Prices Ever Inaugurated in a Lowell Dept. House.

Cold and unseasonable weather during the month of May has brought about this predicament. Our stock is thousands of dollars heavier than it should be, the goods are all new and seasonable and we believe the time to sacrifice is when people need the goods; hence this gigantic mark-down sale.

$50,000 is Needed at Once and We Must Raise It.

Watch Wednesday's papers.

For the astonishing offers in store for thrifty buyers.

THE BON MARCHE IN TAUNTON.

Lowell people will be interested in the success of Mr. John A. OHearn, formerly of Lowell but now manager of Taunton's new enterprise, The Bon Marche. It is a howling success. Taunton's citizens, big and little, great and small, rich and poor, are enthusiastic over what is locally known in Taunton as the New Fairyland, and the old-time methods and merchants of Taunton are entirely superseded by the enterprise of Mitchell and his man O'Hearn. The general management of this store is along the same lines as those of the parent house in Lowell. It is said that the enthusiasm in Lowell is nothing in comparison to that in Taunton. It is no uncommon thing to have the most prominent citizens of Taunton tell the new comers that they are glad they came to wake the business people and show them how to do business in an up-to-date manner.

ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE R. R. DIRECTORS.

At the annual meeting of the Manchester and Lawrence railroad, held at the Amoskeag bank, Manchester, officers were elected as follows: President, John W. Sanborn; Clerk, George H. Chandler; directors, Calvin Page of Portsmouth and Eugene P. Carver of Brookline, Mass. Mr. Sanborn takes the place made vacant by the death of Charles A. Sinclair of Portsmouth, while Mr. Page succeeds him in the directorate. Mr. Carver succeeds Amos N. Blandin of Bath.

The Manchester and Lawrence was incorporated in 1847 and owns a half line from Manchester to the Massachusetts line, 22.29 miles. According to the report of the railroad commissioners for 1898, there was held in New Hampshire $550,000 of the capital stock authorized by charter and by company of $1,000,000. For the year ending June 30, 1898, it received as income from the lease of its road to the Boston and Maine $102,000, and a total income of $103,250.50, including income from [illegible] shares of Mt. Washington railroad stock and 107 2-5 shares of Suncook Valley. The incorporation holds $274,298.53 worth of land in Manchester.

Keep your eyes open for O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. It will pay you.

WEAK CHILDREN.

Growing Boys and Girls Need an Invigorating Tonic.

Vinol Will be Found to be The Best Thing in the World for them.

This Delicious Builder-up is Enjoyed by the Children.

Vinol Gives Vigor and Strength to the Mind as well as the Body.

We Guarantee that Vinol is Harmless and Especially Good for Weak and Growing Children.

Try It, and if You Are Not Satisfied, We Will Give You Back Your Money.

If your boy or girl does not thrive as he or she should, you may make up your mind they are out-growing their strength. If you notice that your boy does not play with the other boys and enjoy himself as is the nature of a boy, you had better make up your mind that his health is not what it should be.

Growing children need careful attention. They need proper food, well cooked, and plenty of it, but above all, they need some one to watch them, and be sure that this same food is properly digested, and accomplishes the results that it should.

This is one reason why Vinol, Wine of Cod Liver Oil, is the most invaluable of all tonics known to medical science. Vinol helps the stomach to more easily digest everything that is taken into it. Vinol helps the stomach get for itself all the nourishment that is possible from the food that is eaten. The consequence is that the renewal of flesh tissue is increased, the blood is kept pure and healthy, the nerves are invigorated and made strong, and the growing boy or girl is given the material that the body needs to develop and grow into strong, sound, healthy men and women.

MRS. GEORGIA M. BENEDICT, of 21 Down Street, Danbury, Conn., who is the wife of Dr. John H. Benedict, one of Danbury's oldest and best-known physicians, writes us as follows: "I must express to you the satisfaction I have taken in administering Vinol to a poor boy in my household. He had outgrown his strength. He has taken it with none of the revulsion which he felt for cod liver oil. It is doing him a wonderful amount of good."

If you will but come to our store we will prove to you that Vinol, though it does contain the active curative principles which have made cod liver oil famous, is positively free from fat, grease, or any objectionable feature. On the contrary, it is most delicious and appetizing. Also remember that we sell Vinol under a guarantee, and will return the money that you pay us if you do not find Vinol accomplishes all we claim for it.

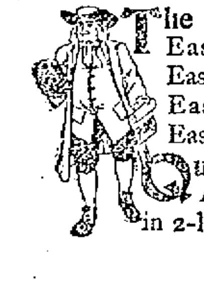
ELLINGWOOD & CO.,

Pharmacists,

Barristers Hall, Merrimac, Cor. Central St. and 256 Central Cor. Middlesex St.

DR. WILLIAMS'
PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE

Nerve tonic—Blood Maker. Send for descriptive pamphlet. Sold by druggists everywhere. 50 cents per box—six for $2.50.
DR. WILLIAMS' MED. CO., Schenectady, N. Y.



The Easy Food
Easy to Buy,
Easy to Cook,
Easy to Eat,
Easy to Digest
Quaker Oats
At all grocers
in 2-lb. pkgs. only

WITH THE POLICE

Many Arrests Made Saturday Night.

THE DRACUT ROAD FURNISHED SEVERAL

And Others Were From Lawrence Cars.

The police now find that much of the drunkenness seen in Lowell comes not from Nashua, N. H., as was supposed but from road houses and even plain farmers' houses along the car line between the cities. There are several of these places it is said, beyond Lakeview and Nashua, though most of them being beyond the state line are beyond the jurisdiction of the Lowell & Dracut police.

Car conductors state that so frequent are the stops made at houses of this kind that it is impossible for them to make scheduled time between Lowell and Nashua. The bigger crowd took the Nashua cars Saturday and Lawrence, while not deserted, did not begin to be the busy place that it was a few weeks ago.

About one week ago, Selectman Stevens of Dracut visited the local police to see if he could arrange with them to assist the Dracut police in gathering in the bums who were then beginning to congregate in large numbers about the town. He procured a key to the patrol box nearest the Dracut line and made an agreement about settling for drunks taken from Dracut in the patrol wagon after car hours.

Then to complete the job, the Dracut selectmen appointed several special officers and were thus prepared for any emergency that might arise.

The emergency appears to have arisen on Saturday night when a large number of drunks went into the town, over the line and proceeded to disturb the peace of the inhabitants. Some of them, it is said, were not very drunk, but however they were, 10 of them were gathered in and taken to Lowell, the police officers officiating being: Selectman George H. Stevens, C. Frank Scott, J. T. Crawford, Peter Donohue, Elisha Gordon, George Tucker and Fred P. Vinal.

Officers under Captain Kew, Lieut. Brosnan and Sergeant Downey went as far out as the Nashua line and boarded Nashua cars at Aiken street and Lawrence cars at First street. There were six drunks taken from the cars.

There were eight other Lowell drunks taken in, making a "grand" total of 24 drunks. The bail commissioners made quite a haul, a majority of the drunks being working men with a few dollars behind them.

Supt. Davis and the liquor inspectors were out from 6 p. m. until midnight Saturday night.

It is evident that Chief of Police Lynch of Tewksbury and his worthy lieutenant, Officer Pringle sit all night on Saturdays for the last couple of Sunday mornings shortly after midnight he has pounced down upon unfortunate fishermen who failed to desist on the Sabbath. Yesterday he took in Jules Lecouture, Frank Lecouture and Leon Dresveden for alleged Sunday fishing.

Maria Shepley was arrested on Saturday night for alleged assault and battery on a Mrs. Hartley on Market street.

Quite a number of drunks infested Lakeview on Sunday and as a result in addition to the ten gathered in on Saturday night, about ten more were taken in yesterday.

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO.

WALKING SPEAK-EASY.

Officers Boyle and Ryan made a good haul last night when they took in what appears to be a couple of perambulating speak-easies.

Officer Boyle discovered them first in the alley between Worthen and Dutton and Broadway and Market streets. He first noted the man on guard at the Broadway end of the alley and as he did so, he saw two men dropping bottles in the alley. He released his prisoner and with the assistance of Officer Ryan caught the two men.

At the station, the men gave their names as Henry St. George and John Rainville. Eight quart bottles, all but one of which were open were found on them and about 20 empty bottles were found in the alley.

Later, the officers searched the room occupied by the men on Dutton street and found there a lot of bottles of all sizes, a drawer full of cork stoppers of all sizes, a small tin funnel and a whiskey glass. The bottles all had a teaspoonful or more of whiskey in them. It is said that the men only moved in on Saturday night. The police believe that these men are a part of a gang of pocket speak-easy workers.

Something is going to happen this week. Watch O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

COUNTRY CLUB LINKS.

The golf links of the Vesper Country club which will be formally opened on May 30 are to be second to none in this country.

Several improvements have been made by the executive committee at the Island for the comfort and convenience of the members. For those going by electric cars a new ferry, running on a wire cable, safe and capable of carying forty people, with landings on both sides of the river, has been put in. A new French range has been placed in the kitchen, and with additional help the restaurant is now ready to accommodate all parties.

TWO SAILORS LOST.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., May 28.—A dispatch received here this afternoon from Captain W. H. Thomas of the schooner Harris D. Parker dated Lunenburg, N. S., states that on May 15 two members of the crew, John Thomas and Lawrence Smith, were lost. Both men were well known here.

ROMAN SOCIALIST NOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

LONDON, May 28.—According to a special dispatch from Rome, published today the scenes witnessed Friday in the Italian Chamber of Deputies, were repeated yesterday. General Pelloux, the premier, denounced the Socialist attacks on the army and wild turmoil ensued. The Rightists rose and dashed at the Socialists, hitting and kicking, the session was suspended and the chamber was cleared by the officials.

The situation, it is added, is "regarded as grave."

SNOW BLOCK CLEARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

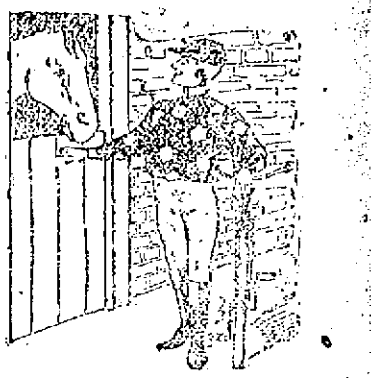
LEADVILLE, Col., May 27.—After a snow-blocking lasting for four months and which was by far the longest in the history of railroading in Colorado, the South Park line has been opened and a train reached here from Denver. The South Park officials announce that from now on trains will be running regularly.

HOSTETTER'S
CELEBRATED
STOMACH
BITTERS

The Better the HEALTH, the longer the LIFE.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters makes good health—therefore long life. It cures Indigestion, Constipation, Biliousness and all troubles arising from a weak stomach.

It makes people well and keeps them well.



A better Mount than the
ZIMMY BICYCLE
Cannot be had for $45.00.

It was pronounced perfect by those who rode and perfectly tested it last season, but the improvements made on this year's model place it on a n equal footing with any wheel made. You cannot do better than select the "Zimmy" as your wheel for '99.

Several AA models at $35.00. All in perfect order.

H. E. HARRIS, 10 Appleton St.

Does Baby
WANT A WHEEL?

Then call for one of our Adjustable Go Carts, just as comfortable for an infant as a carriage, and later on you can use it for the child as it grows older.

Should you prefer a carriage we can furnish them as low as the lowest.

Don't forget us on Screen Doors or Window Screens. Remember we are up to date on them and have a large stock to show you.

GAYNOR & CO.

25 Prescott Street.
Telephone 618-5.

THE LOWELL SUN
JOHN H. HARRINGTON, Proprietor.
SUN BUILDING, LOWELL, MASS.
Member of the Associated Press.
$3.00 Per Year. 25c. Per Month

May Have Seen Better Days

There are at least two local papers with less than one-fifth the circulation of THE SUN. They may have seen better days, but the only remnant of their former glory is the high price they charge for advertising.

If the price they ask is a fair one, THE SUN would be justified in asking five times as much, but we do not ask even twice as much. Don't you see why advertising in THE SUN is the cheapest in Lowell?

THE SUN has a larger circulation than any two other papers printed in Lowell.

It is in every respect
LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

Rosa Bonheur, the world's greatest painter of animal life is dead, but the "Horse Fair," her great masterpiece, purchased by A. T. Stewart for $20,000, still lives.

The national democratic committee has outlined the platform for 1900 and the anti-trust plank will be the leading feature. During the next campaign it will be clearly shown by the democratic leaders how the trusts can be suppressed by congress. They will be deprived of the protection under which they have attained such a menacing prominence at the present time.

The kidnapping of little Marion Clark in New York, has caused a great deal of excitement and one of the strangest charges in connection with the occurrence is, that the police suspect some newspaper writer for taking the child with the intention of getting a "scoop" on its discovery or else demanding a ransom for its restoration to the parents. In either case the kidnapper will have to play a very risky game and the newspapers of New York are doing their level best in aiding the police to solve the mystery. Already some of the newspapers have offered a large reward for the recovery of the child but without avail, still the police say that they have clues which may prove effective, although they are likely to prove the reverse.

General MacArthur's plan of enlisting a tribe of the Filipinos to fight another is not original with him. It is the plan which England has used for centuries and it is truly imperial in its effect. When England has not cared to shed any blood in subjugating a people whose territory she coveted, she frequently set them to fight one another and would help each side alternately, so that the fight became almost interminable until she stepped in in the name of civilization and made peace by reducing both to submission and ruling them permanently thereafter. Of course, the United States has a right to adopt all kinds of oppression or to copy such tactics if it sees fit, and the plain people have a right to their opinion of these methods of warfare, without running the risk of being charged with treason if they happen to express their opinions.

BOYS CLUB MOVEMENT.

A representative of the National Work for street boys is in Lowell, organizing a movement for the establishment of a street boys' club in this city. These clubs have been organized in various cities throughout New England, notably in Fall River, Holyoke, New Haven, Bridgeport, Waterbury, Worcester, Lynn, Springfield and several other cities, with the most satisfactory results. The plan is to establish first, a club with temporary quarters, providing attractions for the boys between the ages of seven and fourteen years. Then to make the movement so popular that citizens will contribute to the erection of a suitable building for the boys' club. The city of Fall River has a boys' club building, equal in size to one of our grammars school buildings and it is run at an expense of about $1,500 a year. The boys are provided with comfortable quarters with facilities for baths, athletic exercises, games, suitable reading matter and occasional lectures or in some cases manual training and instruction in the elementary branches.

The boys flocked to the club house and in a short time acquired habits of industry and courtesy with manners calculated to bring them recognition by employers later on.

So far as the movement has gone, it has been entirely successful and the value of the benefits derived by the boys is incalculable. Instead of being around the streets contracting habits of vice, they are learning something useful and are surrounded by the best influences possible at the club quarters. For newsboys, the boys' clubs are especially useful, while there are many gamins brought up in uninviting quarters who can hardly be kept in their homes evenings, but who will spend their time on the streets, generally under the influence of temptation, unless they are led into a club of this kind. So far as Lowell is concerned, a club of this kind has a good field to work in, although the boys are not the worst in the world, yet many of them are seen on the streets at a late hour without any visible business and apparently with no care as to when they return to their homes or whether they return at all. In fact, they seem to be their own masters. It is just such boys who lapse into criminal habits and eventually land in the penitentiary.

The clubs are, so far as they can be, strictly secular in character, so that there is no attempt of proselytizing, thus offering inducements to all denominations without distinction. Were it otherwise, the boys' club movement would be a complete failure and would be stamped out immediately.

Many boys who have not the advantage of home training and who receive little consideration in school can benefit by the training in the boys' club to a greater extent than is generally supposed. Thus far, the organizer in this city has received promises of liberal support and it is to be hoped that the affair will be quite as successful here as it has been in other cities.

A QUESTION OF PUBLIC UTILITY OR INDIVIDUAL PREFERENCE.

The street committee, regardless of public opinion has voted to have more asphaltum paving. In this there is no competition, no shaving of prices. This method of letting out city work is not approved. It is not business-like; it affords an easy method of defrauding the city and places every man who favors it under suspicion. It is an abuse that should be stopped. Another point to be considered in connection with the case is that the streets which the committee would have smooth-paved are close to the residences of prominent members of the committee, not the streets which public necessity would suggest. Of what use will it be to the city to smooth-pave Mammoth Road? Would it not be better to smooth-pave some street in the heart of the city where the traffic is 600 per cent. greater than on the Mammoth Road?

If the streets close to the residences of the committee are to be paved in preference to all others and regardless of public necessity, it is time the public should recognize the fact. If that rule prevails, it may be necessary next year to select aldermen from the streets which are in the greatest need of repairs.

General Taylor, in his lecture upon the "History of Journalism" before the Unitarian club, gave some very good advice in the matter of achieving success in various lines of business. He emphasized the necessity of a little business sense in connection with every calling, claiming that accomplishments are of little account unless properly used to bring financial returns to the possessor. He gave striking instances to illustrate his remarks. He spoke as a man of long experience and intimate knowledge of his subject interspersing his discourse with anecdotes that convulsed his audience with laughter. It is easy to see that it is General Taylor's personality that guides the destiny of the Boston Globe and that has brought it to its present state of eminence and influence. He is one of the great newspaper men of the age, although not a particularly great writer nor even a great orator. He is a very entertaining speaker and as a writer, his style is characterized by terseness and a total absence of what is generally accepted as fine writing. His is the plain, matter-of-fact newspaper style which serves the purpose without any straining after effect.

The predicted end of the Philippine war is as far off as ever. General Otis can take the towns and cities but he cannot hold them. MacArthur may succeed in employing some natives to fight others and the probability is, that those he enlists will eventually prove traitors to the American cause. Aguinaldo is astonishing the world by his persistence, by the marvellous fight he is putting up in spite of his limited resources. He is clearly the superior of any American general in the islands.

The Textile school is secure for another year. Would it not be just as well to settle once for all how it is to be maintained, whether by the city or state or by both conjointly and how much each shall contribute.

CRISP GOSSIP.

Next Thursday is the first of June.

The hammock season is here again.

Band concerts would be appreciated.

Have you hired your summer cottage yet?

Ambition either makes or kills a woman.

Bicyclists were out in large numbers yesterday.

The Memorial Day parade promises to be a very good one.

High cheek bones always indicate great force of character.

The Reina Mercedes will look extremely well flying the stars and stripes.

Lowell's Only Newspaper, booms like all creation. It shines for everybody—The Sun.

Many men are afraid of ghosts who seem perfectly fearless in the presence of spirits.

Pure white felt hats are becoming very prevailing among men, as are straw hats.

Isabel Urquhart, the well known actress, has been granted a divorce from Guy Standing.

"It is reported that 'Thompson,' Manchester's new pitcher, is Varney of Dover, one of the Dartmouth cracks."—Portsmouth Republican. Guess again, Brother Morse. Varney pitched at Hanover and "Thompson" at Manchester yesterday.—Concord, N. H. Monitor. Ask the Manchester papers if Curran of Tufts college, who won his spurs at pitching on the Lowell diamond was not about the size of the twirler who made his successful debut at Manchester, on Saturday afternoon last.

Scottish Sovereign Remedies Cure

Sick Headaches and Biliousness Conquered.

Scottish Remedies Co.:
Gentlemen—I cannot speak too highly of your Scottish Remedies. For five years I have been troubled with sick headaches and bilious attacks. I have tried various kinds of remedies; nothing seemed to relieve me until I tried your Anti-Bilious Specialty. It certainly is a wonderful medicine, acting so gently and dispelling that morbid feeling, and bringing you back health and happiness again. I shall advise my friends to use the Scottish Remedies. With the best wishes for your success, I am, very respectfully,
MAY CLARK,
33 Bowdoin street, Boston.
April, 1899.

A Special Remedy for Every Trouble.
- Sovereign Rheumatism Specialty, for Rheumatism, Aching Muscles, Soreness, Stiff Joints.
- Sovereign Cough and Lung Specialty, for Pulmonary Coughs, Bronchitis, Irritation of Lungs.
- Sovereign Dyspepsia Specialty, for Dyspepsia, deranged Stomach, Indigestion.
- Sovereign Liver Specialty, for Torpidity and engorged Liver and Spleen.
- Sovereign Kidney Specialty, for disordered Kidneys, Bladder, pains in the Back, Urinary distress.
- Sovereign Blood Specialty, cleanses the Blood of its impurities, taints, etc.
- Sovereign Nerve Specialty, for Nervous Exhaustion and General Debility.
- Sovereign Heart Specialty, for weakened Heart action, Faintness, Fear, Fluttering, Pressure.
- Sovereign Catarrh Specialty, for Catarrh, Sore Throat, Colds, Influenza.
- Sovereign Inhaling Powder, for Sore Throats, Colds, Influenza, Catarrh.
- Sovereign Asthma Specialty, for Asthma, constriction of Air Tubes, difficulty in Breathing.
- Sovereign Anti-Bilious Compound acts gently and thoroughly, neither pain nor griping.

Each Remedy 25c.

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUGGISTS
Or at the Office of the Company with Free Medical Treatment.

339 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON.

When the mercury begins to climb it will not stop probably until it reaches the hundred shade mark.

The woman who laughs in a loud tone at the theatre can be sure of getting as much attention as the performers.

A split in the famous Lamb's club has resulted in the formation of the "Chops Club" at New York.

A farmer near Robbins hill, Chelmsford, boasts a motherly hen, 11 years old, which is caring for a family of 25 chickens this spring.

A Georgia exchange tells of an office that actually sought the man. It does not state, however, the amount the man owed the office.

Elm trees all about the city were shedding their seeds yesterday and the wind at times made it seem somewhat like a miniature snowstorm.

Now let us grab the heathens' wool
  And everlasting lick 'em,
While good John Bull to help his pull,
  Stands by and hollers "Sic 'em!"

When a man gets married he takes a mate to share his joys and sorrows. After he has been married awhile he is willing to sell the shares way below par.

Denman Thompson has imported from Europe six bay trees, four boxwood trees and one English yew tree, which he has placed upon his lawn at West Swanzey.

A whizz, a whirl,
A nodding curl,
  A flash of scarlet hose;
A smile she sweetly throws,
  As past she swiftly goes,
    The cycling girl.

Queen Victoria's collection of lace is said to be worth about $400,000. The Princess of Wales owns $250,000 worth of lace, and the ex-Empress Eugenie has a splendid collection. But that of Leo XIII. surpasses them all, being valued at almost a million dollars.

The tallest man in the United States navy has been selected to take the part of Uncle Sam in the peace jubilee to be held in Washington next month. The man who will represent this character is Chief Yeoman Wills, who stands six feet seven inches and is well proportioned.

The news that many of the Mormons are thinking of emigrating is the best news that has come from Utah for a good many days. The proposition is to go to the Canadian northwest where they will be in more congenial surroundings than they are in any part of the American republic. They were never at home on free soil.

A member of the Lowell fire department is now careful about smoking strange pipes. The other night during lunch hour he picked up a stray pipe in the "fire house," and after taking a few whiffs had the satisfaction of seeing the contents taking a Roman candle flight out of the bowl. It had been loaded for him.

The wearing of short skirts must be discontinued by the women school teachers of Lynn, and the men teachers must under no circumstances appear at the schoolhouse attired in knee pants and golf stockings. This is the edict of the school committee, and, while it has not been promulgated officially, the teachers have individually been given to understand what is expected of them in this respect.

A funny incident happened in the opening ball game in Cambridge. A Fitchburg base runner was not used to the new grounds, and in rounding third he failed to locate the home plate. He made for first base, and it was not until he had almost reached the pitcher's position that he got his bearings. He then made for the home plate, and the Cambridge players claimed an out for running out of line, but it was not allowed.

There are more freak matrimonial complications in Indiana to the square mile than in any other section of the country. Cupid, in his operations through Indiana, seems to have been afflicted with a most aggravated case of blind staggers.

Justice W. W. Strader has just united in marriage Russell Debusk and Miss Ella Bevars, and William Bevars and Miss Alpha Debusk. Miss Debusk is the daughter of Russell Debusk and William Bevars is a brother of Debusk's bride. A queer relationship is the result. Bevar's own sister is naturally his mother-in-law and his father-in-law is also his brother-in-law. Debusk's daughter becomes his sister-in-law. Mrs. Debusk is the stepmother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Bevars. Mrs. Bevars, being her father's sister, is consequently an aunt unto herself, while Debusk, being his daughter's brother, must necessarily be his own father. In case there is issue the child might be its own grandparent or the grandparent of its own father, while if this was carried out another generation it might easily be deducted that the child was never born.

But this case is hardly as remarkable as one which has come to light at Dillsboro. David Gray married his granddaughter by a former marriage. It would appear that the Grays believe in odd marriages, for Gray's father married his stepdaughter, whose mother was an aunt of the present wife. Now the question of relationship comes up. These two queer matrimonial ventures encircle themselves, so often when the pencil is applied to the problem that by tracing it out it is very easy to figure all parties off the earth.

Over the line in Ohio county, a man named Miller married a widow who had a grown-up daughter. His father fell in love with the stepdaughter. The father became the son's son-in-law and the stepdaughter became his mother. Recently the son's wife had a child. The child was Miller's father's brother-in-law and Miller's own uncle, for he was a brother of his stepdaughter. Miller's father's wife—his stepdaughter—also had a son, who was of course, Miller's brother and incidentally Miller's grandchild, for he was the son of Miller's daughter. Thus Miller's own wife was his mother's mother and Miller became his wife's grandchild at the same time. And then, to top the whole thing off, as the husband of his grandmother, he was his own grandfather.

Here is a little telephone experience:
"Hello, Central!"
"What number, please?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"I don't catch that."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Try it once more, please."
"Two hundred and sixty-nine four.
"One hundred and sixty-nine four."
"No, two sixty-nine four, two hundred and sixty nine, four."
"I can't give you two numbers at once, which do you want first?"
"I was giving you the same number two different ways."
"A little louder please, I can't quite make you out."
"I said I was giving the same number two different ways."
"Oh yes! Well what number do you want?"
"Two hundred and sixty-nine, four."
"Suppose you give me each figure separately, like one, two, three, four for instance."
"All right one, two, got that?"
"Yes"
"One, two, three four, five, six, got that?"
"Yes."
"One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine. Got that?"
"Yes."
"One, two, three, four. Got that?"
"Yes, you want two, six-nine four, do you?"
"Yes, two hundred and sixty-nine, four, Do you understand now?"
"Yes I understand. Two hundred and sixty-nine, four is busy now. Ring off, please.

They've taken down the barrier
  That custom used to raise;
The girl, if you would marry her,
  Must do it all these days.
Papa and dearest mamma seem
  Not "in it" as of yore—
When most they favor love's young dream,
  The more you may deplore.

It used to be the proper thing
  To cultivate mamma,
And give her potted plants and bring
  Cigars for "dear papa;"
But fashion now has made it wise
  To court the girl alone
To read her hieroglyphic eyes
  And tremble on her tone.

Then in some lonesome dark retreat,
  Far from the haunts of men,
Or maids, she'll bring you to your feet
  Then bring you up again.
She'll educate you to the ways
  That suit her inclination,
And marry you in ninety days,
  By average calculation.

MAJOR DIGGLES' DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 28.—Maj. Arthur Diggles of the 13th Minnesota regiment whose death is reported at Manila, before the war, served as captain of Co. B, one of the Minnesota National Guard companies. He was appointed Junior Major at the time the regiment was mustered into the Federal service last year.

He was born in Boston May 18, 1855, and was graduated from Yale College with the class of '76. He had been a resident of Minneapolis for 15 years.

BARKER'S MESSAGE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WASHINGTON, May 27—The following despatch has been received at the navy department:

Manila, May 27.

To Secretary of Navy:
Washington,

Information has been received from the commander of the Castine (that) the Spanish troops have been withdrawn from San Bengan, P. I., on May 24. Information has been received from the commander of the Helena (that) the United States troops have relieved the Spanish troops at Sulu on May 20, saluted each flag; all quiet there.

—BARKER.

BIG SAFE BURGLARY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BOSTON, May 28.—Chief Post Office Inspector Evans of the New England force, received a telegram yesterday from Postmaster Thomas M. Barrows of Hinsdale, N. H., to the effect that the safe in the post office at that place was blown open sometime after midnight. Money and stamps were taken. The place was badly shattered and the work evidently was done by experts. An inspector will be sent to investigate the matter.

Y.M.C.A. CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 28.—Yesterday's session of the Y.M.C.A International conference opened in the midst of a violent thunder storm.

The opening address was by W. W. Copper of Kenosha, Wis., on "Christian Stewardship." He presented the financial needs of the association at home and abroad. At the close of his address the work of raising money was begun. The secretary stated that the estimated need of the International committee was $135,000. Forty-five thousand was received and $45,000 additional also is asked for. General Supt. T. F. Whittlesley of the T. & O. C. R. R. delivered an address on "What Does the Railroad Company Expect from the Railroad Department?"

LOWELL ROMANCE

Local Young Couple Eloped on Friday

THEY WENT TO NASHUA TO BE MARRIED

Irate Parents Discover Them Just in Time.

It is as true today as it ever was that the course of true love seldom runs smoothly, says the Nashua Evening Press.

That it does not was illustrated in all its phases in this city last evening, when an officer stepped in with all the majesty of the law and sat down heavily on the honeymoon anticipations of a handsome would-be bride of 18 summers and a fine looking intended bridegroom of 20 years.

The couple had the symptoms that showed that they had run up against Cupid's insidious darts and that the young fellow had planed their two hearts into one and thus made it expedient for them to fight the remainder of the battle of life under one flag. All would have gone well, but for a most obdurate parent.

The enterprising elopement which was very near being successful, was nipped in the bud by City Marshal Eaton, Inspector Flood and the father of the boy. A friend acted as interpreter for the parties, they being French-Canadians. They are residents of the sister city of Lowell. The meeting of the quartette with the mutual friend, a Mr. LeBlanc of this city, took place at the marshal's office, and when the denouement came there was a scene.

It appears that during the afternoon a young man telephoned from Lowell to City Clerk A. A. Hall asking if he could give a marriage license. Mr. Hall replied that he could. Later, City Marshall Eaton received an urgent telephone message from the officers in Lowell to prevent the marriage of an eloping couple from that city and to arrest the parties and hold them until the arrival of the father and a friend. The marshal and Detective Flood went to the office of the city clerk and notified City Clerk Hall and then awaited developments. It was supposed that the young man and girl left Lowell on the 3.20 electrics for Nashua but it appears that they came to Nashua on the steam cars, arriving a few minutes after 4 o'clock and a short time after, City Clerk Hall was called up by telephone by a Mr. LeBlanc, who wished to know if he could give a license and be in his office to unite a party in marriage. He replied that he would and notified the marshal, who, with Officer Flood, went to the city hall, where the parties were in the aldermen's room. At about 5 o'clock Mr. LeBlanc came in to get the license. The marshal mistrusted that the would-be bride and bridegroom were on the outside. He stepped out and saw them standing on the walk. He immediately took the young couple in charge and with Officer Flood, escorted them to the station. They were much surprised at the change in their matrimonial outlook, and entered a most vigorous protest.

But protests didn't go. They were still more surprised when the father, Mr. Besenard, accompanied by a Joseph Hould, arrived at the station and positively forbade the banns. Mr. Besenard was very persistent in his opposition to the wedding and at one time raised his cane as if to give his boy a thrashing.

In the meantime the young man clung to his would-be bride and said he should certainly make her his wife even if prevented that time, the young lady in the meantime challenging the father to say one word against her reputation or in any way to show that she was not well worthy to become the wife of her affianced and his daughter-in-law. As the war of words increased the girl was seized with hysterics and Officer Flood went off for ice water. Then the matron resuscitated the love lorn maiden and the sensation was on again in full blast. Meantime the marshal, with fatherly advice, was trying to soothe the lacerated feelings of all the parties. When the parties had cooled off a bit, Mr. Hould came to the rescue as the mutual friend and a family consultation took place.

Romeo Besenard, the bridegroom to be, persistently informed his father that while he could stop the marriage today he should certainly be married later, and the bride, Miss Burgderow, declared just as positively that she should have her lover for a husband.

Finally they came to an agreement by which Romeo and his girl should return to Lowell and to their homes, and matters should be amicably adjusted today to the satisfaction of the parents.

When seen by the press representative Mr. Besenard and his intended bride were boarding an electric car for Lowell. They were as happy as circumstances would permit, and quite positive that this little hitch in their private affairs was a disappointment that would make the proposed honeymoon trip, after their marriage, an incident for merriment.

After their departure the other Lowellites took a return car. They seemed pleased that matters had been fixed up by the aid of the police and a runaway marriage prevented.

TRIP TO BOSTON

BY A TWELVE-YEAR-OLD SCHOOL BOY.

I will give a little story about my trip to Boston. As I was going down to Boston to spend a few days, I thought I would write a little story about it as I went many interesting places, having with me Miss May B. Teague and Mr. John Hanlon. The first place I went was on board the steamship New England. This vessel is the largest ship that crosses the Atlantic. While I was on the ship, they were loading hundreds and hundreds of things on to go to Liverpool. On the boat there were two pianos, two dining rooms, a smoking room, berths, steerage and other rooms. It has every convenience. That ended my first day's sight-seeing. The next day I went through the subway which has been recently built. Beginning at the public gardens a two-track system enters the open decline passing into the subway. The subway is of pure porcelain brick, along walls near the stations and where there are no stations it is simply white walls. The cars in the subway go very fast and you get a very cool refreshing breeze. Next I went to the Tremont Building which is about 18 stories high and has about 12 elevators running up and down. A very beautiful view can be seen from the top of this building. I did not stay long here, but went over to the state house. First I went into the old senate chamber where the old members used to meet. We then went up in the elevator and up to the dome. A magnificent view can be seen from here. I stayed there quite a while and then went down and out. Another sight I saw was the oldest cemetery in Boston, known as the Old Granary Burying Ground, where the great men of the Revolutionary War are buried such as Samuel Adams, Paul Revere and others. The next day I went on board the United States training ship Enterprise. This is where the young boys, who want to the admirals and commodores have to go. Some of them will probably be like Dewey, Schley and Sampson. The ship will leave for Europe June 16, '99. It is quite a large ship and first when you go in is the school. They have school in the morning, but not in the afternoon. The men were fixing up the boilers, getting ready for Europe. When the boys are sick they go into the hospital. On the hospital door is a large red cross. One sailor showed us the guns they use. They also have a piano on the ship. When we saw mostly everything that could be seen we went out. The next day I went to Keith's theatre and it was one of the grandest sights I have ever seen. It is a treat to go in there.

It seems to me like Paradise with all its angels on the walls and ceiling. There is a free check room where you may check your hat and coat. Then you go in and see the performance. You can go in any time you want and come out when you choose. There are numerous electric lights and a great boiler to ventilate the theatre and for power. The theatre has a gold letter box, a telephone, a writing desk, a dressing room and in fact every convenience. In another place you can see yourself about 20 times in different mirrors. Mr. Keith has also an American biograph. He has about 200 employes. It is called the model playhouse of the country. It is a vaudeville theatre with continuous performances from 10.30 am. to 10.30 pm. No person should visit Boston without seeing Keith's theatre. There are three prices according to location—25, 50 and 75 cents.

The next day I went to the Massachusetts state prison, having a card of introduction from F. E. Olmstead to Warden Bridges. I first went in the office and waited until the warden could spare the time to take us through. Then I went through the great iron door and the warden told us that he had prisoners 50 and 60 years old.

Then we went along the corridor to look in the cells of the prisoners and the cells are very neat in appearance. I will describe one of the cells I saw to give you an idea what is in them. There is a bed, a table, a closet, a couple of books, a clock, a pretty decorated shelf with little ornaments and a broom. The electric chair has recently been put there. I did not see the dungeon because the warden was short of officers. I also saw the cook-room. The last place I went was on the Steamship Wabash. I just visited parts of the ship. The steamship is out in the water a little way and you have to get in a little tug boat to go over there. I first went up stairs and around the ship, saw the engine room and where the amunition and arms were kept, and where the prisoners are kept, the hospital, the deck and the cook room. That nearly ended my trip to Boston and I was very thankful to my guide who took me so many places.

—TOMMIE.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 28.—A good attendance marked the final session of the Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday. The judicial committee made its final report including recommendations in that part of the Warszawiak case which the judicial commission appointed to try the case referred to the assembly. The matter referred to was the memorial from the Fifth avenue church, N. Y., asking that the case be sent directly to it for retrial. The memorial's request was denied by the committee and the assembly approved.

The committee reported finding as judicial commission on the complaint of Rev. Moses Birkovitz against the synod of New Mexico. The action of the synod is disapproved. The synod directed the presbytery of Rio Grande to suspend Birkovitz without a trial.

An additional address to the International peace conference was adopted. This one recommends an international court of arbitration. The stated clerk said he would forward the address next week with a similar one from the alliance of Presbyterian churches of the world, representing millions of Christians.

CORPORATIONS AFFECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 28.—W. H. Hotchkiss, referee in bankruptcy, has handed down a decision, which, if sustained by the higher courts, will affect corporations in every state in the union.

The decision is that officers of a corporation, when they apply to a state court for a receiver, make a tacit admission of insolvency, which constitutes an act of bankruptcy and furnishes good and sufficient cause for the Federal court to declare such a corporation a bankrupt on petition of any of its creditors.

SEEKING CARRIE WILKINSON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The police are searching for a Carrie Wilkinson, who was discharged from the Mother's and Babies' hospital with a new-born baby, on August 15, 1897. It is believed that she took the name of Carrie Jones after leaving the hospital. The baby died on September 15 following.

The theory is that the loss of her own child upset her reason and that she took the Clark baby, who was as old as her own would be had it lived.

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THE SUN EXTRA!

6 O'CLOCK

HONORED THE DEAD

Veterans of Two Wars Attend Memorial Service

And Listen to the Patriotic Discourses of Eloquent Preachers in Touching Eulogy of the Dead Heroes of the Spanish and Civil Wars.

The religious observance of Memorial Day took place yesterday and veterans, young and old, attended in uniform the services at the different Protestant churches and listened to the eloquent and patriotic discourses in honor of the departed.

The union memorial service of the G. A. R. posts took place yesterday afternoon at the Kirk street church.

There was a large attendance of the veterans and the women belonging to the societies affiliated with the posts but the military funeral in another church at the same hour kept away many people who otherwise would have attended.

The platform in front of the auditorium had been handsomely decorated with bunting and flowers and stands of arms.

The exercises opened with an organ prelude by Arthur C. Spaulding, which was followed by Keller's American hymn sung by the Apollo quartette. Rev. L. W. Staples read from the Scriptures and there was prayer by Rev. C. L. Merriam. The roll of the dead was then read by the adjutants of the three posts, Adj. George F. Worthen, Adj. F. E. Butler, and Adj. Frank C. Adams. The roll was as follows:

Post 42. Lieut. Col. James Francis, First Sergt. William H. Noonan, Privates Thomas Cook, Peter McGovern, Leonard T. Farris, Michael Tulley.

Post 102: Privates Charles W. Wyman, Michael Flynn, James G. Clark, Stephen J. Smiley, Musician Charles W. Brigham.

Post 185: Lieut. Edward W. Thompson, Sergt. Charles F. Emerson, Privates Albion J. Lamphere, William W. Burrows, Daniel A. Brown, Samuel Osgood, John H. Nichols, William H. Colback, James W. Patchen, Charles E. Andhews. Andrews.

The bugle call for the dead was played by Bugler Francis Riggs of Co. C, Sixth Massachusetts. The quartet then sang "The Vacant Chair" and after a prayer by Rev. Asa R. Dilts, Edward B. Wirt sang the solo, "Thy Will Be Done."

The sermon was preached by Rev. William A. Bartlett. His subject was "Lincoln and Grant; Types of American Manhood."

The sermon was a beautiful effort and made a deep impression upon the large congregation. The services closed with the singing of "America."

AT FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the morning service in the First Baptist church, the members of Post 42, Post 120 and Companies M of the Ninth regiment and C and G of the Sixth accompanied by the four women's auxiliaries to the G. A. R. posts were in attendance, taxing the seating capacity of the church. The chorus choir of the church rendered a program of patriotic selections.

Rev. A. E. Wilson delivered a stirring address on "Our Heroes, Living and Dead," and in the course of his remarks said:

"Again gathered in a Christian century on a Sabbath near a national holiday that for 31 years has taken so strong a hold on the national life, we welcome as our guests the veterans of the civil war, the soldiers in the war with Spain, and the honorable women, members of associations ever helpful where ready hands and true and loving hearts are needed.

"Veterans, you were young men in '61; in '99 you are young no longer. Some of you felt sad that you could not do as you once could, when the bugle sounded and the president again called for men to protect the flag. You were made glad, veterans, as you heard the tramp of young men with as great a love for the old flag and as true devotion to the country that had nursed them into manhood. You were ready, veterans, with a 'God bless you' and with kindest thoughts and prayers and just pride in them. You did not watch these young men with jealousy but with the pride of a father.

"Veterans, when our good president called you into the service, it was to rescue from unhallowed hands that flag that had been torn down and trampled into the dust. It was to settle the question whether the severing knife of secession should cut in twain this fair republic it was to settle the question whether the liberty-loving sons of the north should bow in humble subjection to slavery. The history of those four years has been written by many a pen, but more indelibly written upon the sacred tablets of memory. April 9, 1865, Lee surrendered to Grant. Ah, that was a grand army. The bravest blood of the north and south flowing together cemented indissolubly the states of this union.

"During the past year, history has been making fast. Today the prayers of the good are with the peace conference and though many of us are skeptical in regard to the outcome of this conference, yet I am glad that this question is agitated and I look forward with fervent hope into the distant ages if not years, when men shall learn war no more.

"I regard the cry of imperialism as unjust and I pray and trust that the attitude of the nation in coming years will best subserve the sacred rights of all wherever the starry banner shall float. We are reminded today of the devoted women who went forth from the higher and the humbler walks of life as ministering angels. All tender memories come upon us and the sweetest words of praise should be given to those noble women. Veterans, you may scatter flowers over those graves with pride and gratitude and love.

"Veterans, it was but yesterday, it seems, that you saw death in all its horror, sweeping down scores of your brothers in arms, yet you quailed not. But the day after tomorrow there will come back to you memories, and the tears unbidden will fall down your cheeks. Check them not. They are the most eloquent tribute to the memory of your fallen comrades."

OTHER SERVICES.

Post 185, G. A. R., attended morning service in the Kirk street church and Rev. Mr. Bartlett preached on "The Peace Congress," his text being "There was a war in heaven."

At the First Baptist church, in the evening, Rev. S. T. Ford preached a Memorial Day sermon, his subject being "The Call of the Hour." The text was from Joshua, 1. 2: "Moses, my servant, is dead; now, therefore, arise." Patriotic selections were sung by the choir and a striking feature of the service was the Memorial hymn, written by Rev. Dr. A. Blackburn, formerly pastor of that church. It was sung by Mrs. W. H. Pepin, with exquisite expressiveness.

Waubatchie Command of the Union Veterans' union, Col. George H. Smith commander, attended service at the John street church, having seats in the main aisle. They were accompanied by many friends who materially increased the usual congregation. The pastor, Rev. George H. Johnson, had chosen for his theme "The Endless War."

The people of the First Universalist church listened to a brief though eloquent Memorial Day address by their pastor, Rev. C. E. Fisher, last night. He spoke on "Our Country."

Sunday morning 21 members of the Chelmsford Veterans' association, H. S. Perham, commander, attended divine service at All Saints' church and listened to an excellent discourse by the rector, Rev. Wilson Waters. In recognition of the special occasion, there were tasteful floral decorations and the national colors were conspicuously displayed. The singing by the choir of young women under the direction of the rector was very good, a special number being "Blessed is the people whose God is the Lord." Miss Emma Fassche was organist. Mr. Waters' text was a part of the ninth verse of the eighth hapter of Matthew, "I am a man under authority, having soldiers under me."

GRAHAM CLUB'S TRIP.

The Graham Cycle club of Lowell took a run to Boston yesterday and coming home got caught in the rain at Tewksbury Centre. They stopped at Mrs. Vaughan's house and after being dried and having a large quantity of the mud removed, Mrs. Vaughan laid out one of her finest spreads before the club, which they enjoyed very much. The members, true to their club name, did justice to Mrs. Vaughan's Graham biscuits. After supper they were entertained with musical selections, both instrumental and vocal. They took the last car to Lowell and arrived in this city about 11 o'clock.

The Mathews play two games Memorial day, one at Nashua in the forenoon at 10 o'clock. The afternoon game will be at Mountain Rock grounds at 3 p. m., with the Nashua club. The Nashua team is leading in the Trolley League with the Mathews of this city a close second. If the Mats take the two games they will be in first position, and they will do their utmost to do so. The Nashua club is putting up a strong game and in Dick Laroche and Jimmy Stines, Fred Reynolds and Jimmy Ryan, they have two batteries hard to equal. The Mats will have three pitchers and two catchers for Memorial Day. Catchers: Hoyle and Dunlavey. Pitchers: Fahey, Grimes and Leslie. The Nashua club have three Lowell men in their team: Jimmy Sines, Billy McGuirk and Geo. Thorne.

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THAT JAIL FIRE

Looks Like an Incendiarys Work.

Since the inspector of wires announced after an investigation that the fire in the stable of the jail was not caused by defective wires and the jail officials have stated positively that there was no fire kept in the stable, it looks as if the fire had been caused by an incendiary, strange as such a happening in a jail may appear.

Several residents of the vicinity of the jail are positive that they saw a man vault over the jail yard fence a few hours before the fire.

At 10 o'clock Thursday night, three young ladies and a young man were riding wheels under the glare of the electric light at the end of Hale street bridge and saw three men standing at the corner of Railroad and Hale streets. Then they saw a man get over the jail fence from the inside and join the three men. Then all walked down Railroad street leisurely and they were not seen again. The people on the bridge were surprised at the sight of a man going over the fence and when they heard of the fire the incident came back to them and they circulated it.

FUNERALS.

PEPIN—The funeral services of P. Thomas Pepin were held Saturday afternoon at the home of his brother, 18 Phillips street. Rev. C. E. Fisher officiated and H. W. Brown sang. The bearers were Albert French, Miles Gardner, J. Stahl and W. H. Gerrish. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Weinbeck.

MORSE—The funeral services of S. Warren Morse, were held at his late home in Pine street at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. George N. Howard of Melrose, assisted by Rev. A. E. Wilson officiated. The body was taken to Northwood, N. H., for burial.

GOODALE—The funeral services of Nancy A. Goodale were held at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Edson cemetery chapel, prayers having been said at 1.30 o'clock at the home of the deceased, 737 Varnum avenue. Rev. R. A. Greene officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery. C. M. Young & Co were in charge.

FOSTER—The funeral services of Lucinda C. Foster were held Sunday afternoon at her late home, 209 Cabot street. Rev. F. A. Warfield officiated. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker C. M. Young & Co.

BIBEAULT—The funeral services of Exilda Bibeault, wife of Alphonse Bibeault, a well known local contractor, who died suddenly at her home, 513 Wilder street, on Friday afternoon, were held this morning at St. Jean Baptise church where several hundred friends of the deceased besides those who attended the funeral gathered and occupied seats throughout the service. A solemn high mass which was sung by Rev. Fr. Strols, O.M.I. began at 10 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Marion, O.M.I., was deacon and Rev Fr. Amyot, O.M.I., sub deacon. A large chorus of local church choir members under the direction of Dr. George E. Caisse rendered the Schmidt requiem and several beautiful selections, including Leybach's "Pie Jesu," at the offertory by Miss Rose Caisse were rendered. In the congregation was a large number of prominent residents. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery where the interment took place, services were held by Rev. Fr. Gagnon, O.M.I. The bearers were Louis P. Turcotte, Hermadais Arvisais, J. W. Paradis, F. L. Richard, Hubert Denault and John Vincent. Undertaker Albert had charge. Among the pretty floral tributes were: Palms and roses, Philip Connors; roses, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett; sheaf of wheat, Phillas David; anchor, Philias Brouillette; lyre, Burnham & Davis; palms and pinks, Camille Roussin; pinks, C. H. Chagnon; roses, Miss M. G. Cossette; pinks, Mr. and Mrs. H. Maynard; circle, broken by scythe, Parthenais Bros.; crescent and star on base, "Friend," Rivet and Hamil; cross, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vigeant.

DEATHS.

WALSH—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Walsh, the former the popular pressman at the J. C. Ayer Co., will be pained to hear of the sudden death of their oldest child, Lawrence W. Walsh, aged seven years, who died of scarlet fever last evening, after an illness of only two days. Owing to the nature of the case, the remains were interred early this morning in the Catholic cemetery. The death and its surrounding circumstances are particularly sad, as the family moved here from Medford Hillside but a few weeks ago.

FARR—Royal Edward Farr died yesterday at the home of his parents, William and Mattie Farr, 87 Andrew street, aged one month and eighteen days.

McLAUGHLIN—The death of Miss Carrie McLaughlin, which occurred Sunday at No. 56 Blossom street, is a sad affliction. She was 23 years of age and the daughter of John A. and Susan McLaughlin. Her father and one brother survive her. Her mother died a few years ago. Her home was at No. 59 Merrimack corporation.

McCUE—Miss Eliza J. McCue, aged 32 years, died Saturday night at her home, 223 Cross street. She is survived by two brothers and three sisters.

HOWARTH—Mrs. Susanna Howarth wife of Eli Howarth, died Saturday at her home, 99 Adams street, aged 43 years.

RILEY—Mrs. Ann Riley, wife of Philip Riley, a well known employe of the Hamilton Print works, passed away this morning at her home, 8 Cedar street after an illness of three months. Deceased was 50 years old and leaves besides her husband, four daughters, Misses Mary E., Kittie, Gertrude and Margaret; also two sisters, Mrs. A. P. Pearson and Miss Kittie Baxter of Roxbury and one brother, Andrew Baxter. Funeral Wednesday morning from St. Peter's church.

GORMLEY—Mrs. Ella Gormley died this morning at the home of her nephew, Mr. John Cox of 623 Central street. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Patrick Shea of Boston and one sister, Mrs. Patrick McCullough.

McGUIRK—James F., son of James and Margaret McGuirk, died yesterday at their home, 6 Brown's court, off Lakeview avenue, aged one year and seven months. The funeral took place this afternoon in charge of Undertaker Davey and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

RANEY—James, son of William P., and Mary J. Raney, died yesterday at their home, 16 Elmwood avenue, aged three years. Funeral this afternoon. Burial in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Davey.

NELSON—Margaret, daughter of William and Bridget Nelson, died yesterday at their home, 3 Bassett street, aged one year and two months.

O'LEARY—Mary E., daughter of Dennis and Katharine O'Leary, died yesterday at her parents' home, 1 Koslon court, off Fayette street. Funeral took place this afternoon in charge of Undertaker Davey and interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

SULLIVAN—Annie Sullivan died yesterday, aged 14 years, at the home of her parents' on Paige street. She was a native of Worcester and was the daughter of John and Annie Sullivan. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 1.30 o'clock.

AUSTIN—Charles A. Austin died suddenly at his home, 247 Dutton street, Saturday evening, aged 40 years, 9 months. The event was one of peculiar sadness, his mother having died only 24 hours previous and he having been with her just before her death.

BURKE—May Frances Burke, aged 23, daughter of Michael and Bridget, died last night at 105 Fulton street. Funeral will take place tomorrow morning from St. Michael's church.

MURPHY—Mary Murphy, aged 19, daughter of Michael and the late Margaret, died this morning at her home, 151 Railroad street.

HAD A DAY OFF

Mohairs, Buntings and Zions Defeated

EACH WERE DEFEATED BY BIG MAJORITY.

Game at North Billerica Was Postponed.

The Lowell cricket teams, every one of them, had a day off on Saturday—even to the valiant Mohairs who went down in defeat to Methuen.

The Mohairs played an interesting though quite one-sided game with the strong Methuen A. A.'s on Saturday and lost. The defeat which is the first that the Plush team has sustained this year was an honorable one though, and but for the underestimation of a formidable opponent the result would be without doubt favorable to them. As it was they did not take the Methuen team seriously until the latter had piled a score which a team twice its capacity could not surmount. When [illegible] member of the Mohairs did his utmost to turn defeat into victory and better playing could hardly be wished for. Score:

Methuen A. A., 120; Mohairs, 47.

The Buntings of this city who went to Lynn Saturday were met and defeated by the Wanderers of that city, in a game that was at all times the locals: Score:

Lynn Wanderers, 96; Bunting, 51.

The Zions were outclassed at every stage of a game which they played with the St. John's of Lawrence at the grounds of the latter on Saturday. Summary:

St. John's, 55; Zion C. C., 9.

The game scheduled at North Billerica Saturday was postponed. Decoration day the team goes to Lynn to play the Wanderers of that town. These will represent Billerica:

J. T. Hutchinson, J. T. Whitehead, J. Walker, J. Heap, W. Garner, W. Stevenson, H. Brown, W. Butterfield, W. Radcliffe, F. Johnson, W. Buckley.

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HE KILLED WIFE IN JAIL

When She Brought Him Some Delicacies.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Adrian Braun was put to death by electricity in Sing Sing prison today for murder of his wife. A current of 1800 volts was turned on at 9.17 a. m., and at 9.18 Braun was declared to be dead by the attending physicians. A second shock was given for ten seconds. The execution was successful.

Braun killed his wife in Sing Sing prison on March 5, 1893. He stabbed her in the throat with a potato knife severing her windpipe. At the time of the murder Braun was serving a two year term in the prison for wife beating. His wife visited him frequently and on the day she met her death, she carried him some delicacies of which he was fond. Braun, who was employed in the prison as a potato peeler, went to the visitors room to see her and secreted a knife in his clothes. The two conversed together in the most friendly way until the prison detective told them their time was up. Braun pleaded for a few extra minutes and his wish was granted. Suddenly he stood up with a long sharp pointed potato knife in his hand. He brought it down with fearful force against the left side of his wife's neck. With one cut he severed the jugular vein and the main artery in the neck. Before the detective could reach him he plunged the knife several times into the woman's body. The detective seized him and the keepers at once searched him. Another potato knife was found concealed in his clothing. This the authorities believe, he intended to use to kill himself.

ATE TOADSTOOLS

THEN JAMES RILEY DRANK SOME WATER AND DIED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

ATTLEBORO, Mass., May 29.—James Riley, 38 years old, who had been an inmate of the North Attleboro poor farm for many years, yesterday wandered into the woods where he found and ate a large number of toadstools and green berries. He followed his eating by drinking considerable water and the combination caused his death.

PHILIPPINE COURTS

HAVE NOW BEEN RE-ESTABLISHED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

MANILA, May 29.—An order has been issued re-establishing the Philippine courts which have been closed since the American occupation. It revives all the Spanish system without conflicting with the sovereignty of the United States.

OPERATIVES RETURN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

PAWTUCKET, R. I., May 29.—About 100 of the 240 operatives who struck in the twisting room of the Greene & Daniels mill, Saturday, returned to work this morning. Conners, the overseer who resigned because the agent hired a new second hand for him and whose grievance caused the hands to go out sympathetically, is not at work, nor is Laurie, the second hand whose place was to be filled, who was told after Conners went that he would be retained if he wished. The new second hand, whose engagement caused the trouble, is at work.

HE COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

BERLIN, May 29.—An attache of the Chinese ministry at Paris, named Chin Min, has committed suicide here by shooting himself with a revolver. He was suffering from an incurable malady.

BLESSINGTON PROPERTY SOLD.

The auction sale of the Blessington property, corner of Central and Charles street Saturday afternoon was largely attended and the bidding was very spirited between Messrs. Wheelock, Dolan, Watson and Boyle, but was struck off to Mr. John Boyle for $6275. It was the general opinion that the price obtained was very good for the present market of real estate. Auctioneer C. F. Keyes was in charge.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Mary Davis of Lowell in said County, that she was lawfully married to Louis Davis, now of parts unknown, at Randolph, in the state of Vermont, on the twenty-seventh day of November, A. D. 1885, and thereafterwards your Libellant and the said Louis Davis lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth to wit at said Lowell and Smithville, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Louis Davis being wholly regardless of the same, at said Lowell on day of April, A. D. 1881 utterly deserted your Libellant and has ever since continued such desertion being more than three consecutive years before the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Louis Davis.

Dated this sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1899.

Her
MARY X DAVIS.
Mark.

Witness to mark, Bernard D. O'Connell.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex ss.

Superior Court, May 25th, A. D. 1899.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of July next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

Boston and Maine Railroad

Corrected to Oct. 3, 1898. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.25, †6.47, *7.45, *8.53, †9.15, *9.40, 11 a m; 1.40, †3.00, 4.28, †5.41 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.16 a m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station Lowell as follows:

For Boston, 5.48, 6.23, †6.45, w6.50, 7.04, *7.20, *7.35, 7.53, *7.48, *w8.13, *8.57, †9.19, w9.53, *9.50, w10.50, 11.08, *11.43 a m; w12.05, 12.18, w1.45, 1.43, w3.00, w*3.03, 3.10, *3.47, w4.05, 4.28, w5.10, 5.24, *5.46, w*6.15, *6.20, 7.00, *7.19, w9.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 7.30, 7.24, w8.15, 8.40, 9.12, a m, w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.31, 5.38, w7.55 p m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, w7.13, w8.20, w9.26, 10.05, w10.50 a m; w12.05, w2.00, w3.10, w4.05, 4.18, w5.10, w6.15, w7.00, w9.28, w†11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a m, w12.05, w5.31, w7.21 p m.

For Salem, Mass. w6.28, 7.33 a m; w12.05, 1.29, w5.10, 6.51 p m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.55, x7.33, 8.01, 9.25, 10.50 a m; 12.05, 2.00, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, †11.25 p m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a m; 12.05, 5.10, 7.55 p m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a m; 12.05, 2.00, 4.05, 6.15 p m.

For Exeter and Dover 6.28, 8.50, x7.33, 8.10 a m; 12.05, 3.10, 4.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.10 p m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.28 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m.

For Somersworth, N H, Saco, Old Orchard, and Portland, 6.28, 6.55, x7.33, 1.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.00, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Lewiston, 6.00, 8.30 a m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan and Rockland 8.30 a m; 5.10 p m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For St John's, N B, Halifax, N S, 5.10 p m (does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p m.

For Eastport and St John, (via steamer from Portland) on Mondays, at 12.05 p m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport, (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland); discontinued for the season.

For stations on Grand Trunk R. R., via Portland 8.30 a. m. 12.05, 5.10 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.04, 7.27, †7.13, 11.08 a m; 1.43 4.28 p m. SUNDAYS, 3.44 a m; 1.55, 5.43 p m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations—7.10 a m; 12.00, 5.01 and 6.42 p m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton—9.12 a m; 1.00, 3.41, 6.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 2 p m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene—9.12 a m and 3.41 p m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro, 2 p m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord—7.40, 9.12, *9.40 a m; *12.12, 1.00, *1.40, 3.41, *5.40, 6.25, *6.10, *8.40 p m. SUNDAYS, 10.05 a m (to Nashua only), 8.03 a m; 1.00, 0.02, 8.10, 8.40 p m.

For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.12, 11.10 a m; *12.12, *1.40, (to Franklin only) 3.41, †8.40 p m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N H) Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 1.10 p m.

For St Johnsbury, and Lyndonville, via Wells River—*9.40 a m, *1.40, †8.40 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St Albans, St Johns and Montreal via the Central Vermont Line, *9.40 a m; *12.12, †8.40 p m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—*9.40 a m; †8.40 p m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrook—9.40 a. m., †8.40 p m.

Reference: *Express; †Daily. w Via Western Division. ‖Wednesdays and Saturdays only § Via Bedford. x Via Wilmington Junction.

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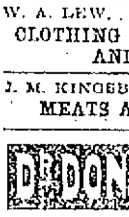

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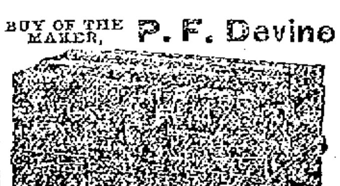

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A CENTURY OF GREAT STRIKES.

The Labor Strike Began One Hundred Years Ago and Will Die Out, it is Believed, with 1900.

At a recent meeting of the persons interested in a great trust it was intimated by the directors that there would never be a strike among their employes, and one of them added that the strike would be unknown in the history of labor after the nineteenth century—just as it was before the eighteenth.

This meant that capital was coming to appreciate labor.

The recent strike in Idaho was mild; so also the threatened Minnesota trouble. Strikes are growing less; yet at one time they threatened the prosperity of the country. It is no more than five years ago this August that there was a bread riot, led by Emma Goldman, in New York City. The strike in various forms menaced all industry.

The conditions have so changed in the last three years that now, if a strike is threatened the capitalist invites the leaders to consult him, not alone that he fears their power, but because he knows that they are men, like himself, intrusted with certain powers, and that they have ground to stand upon. Education has raised labor.

THE FIRST STRIKE.

The first strikes occurred in New York City a little over one hundred years ago.

The journeyman bakers asked for higher wages, the request was refused and they stopped working. The leaders were arrested, and the bakers went to work again.

The strike of the bakers was the only outbreak for half a century.

The Republic was formed, and the workingmen of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, the cradle of the Nation's infantile industries, believed that wages would be higher, labor easier. A Republic must mean that, they thought.

"All men are equal," they said.

Soon they learned that a fine phrase is not always a truth, and that even a truth may be inoperative. From 1785 to 1790 wages rose, but from the latter year onward they began to recede toward the old standard.

In 1796 the boot and shoe makers of Philadelphia held a meeting, declared that they could not live on the pay given them, and struck for higher wages.

They failed, and after weeks of hunger returned to work in humbleness.

In 1798 the same men repeated their effort, and were successful in securing the advance. In the following year the employers felt stronger, and announced a cut to the old rate. Again the men struck, and after a long struggle a compromise was effected.

News traveled slowly in those days, but the success of the Quaker strikers was soon known in all other trades. The example had been given; there was needed but a cause for repetitions.

JACK TARS' STRIKE.

The sailors who came into the port of New York—there were American sailors then—had long complained of unjust marine laws and illegal practices by the shipping masters. Getting no legal redress, in 1803 they struck. The shipowners tried coercion. When a seaman refused to go on a voyage for which he had signed articles he was seized and carried aboard.

Indignation grew among the marines, and one morning New York's citizens awoke to learn that the wharves had been seized by armed sailors, most of them drunk, and all ready for rebellion. The city authorities tried to arrest the leaders, and bloody riots followed.

The year 1805 produced a new phase of the strike. Then for the first time since the Stars and Stripes were raised, strikes were punished by law. There were Philadelphia shoemakers, dissatisfied as of old; and after they had been "out" several weeks, the employers got the ear of a local magistrate, and the strike leaders were arrested and fined.

This was their heinous crime, legally stated:

"Conspiracy to raise wages!"

In 1821 the Albany printers, who had formed a union, struck against the employment of non-union men in a newspaper office. In two days the employers yielded. Printers were then, as now, among the most intelligent workingmen, and the news of their victory spread rapidly.

In Boston, in 1830, the carpenters and masons struck for a shorter working day, and failed because of dissensions among themselves.

The weavers of Paterson, N. J., struck in 1835 for a shorter day, and failed after six weeks of idleness.

QUAKER STRIKES.

In the same year the coal-yard laborers in Philadelphia went out, and the strike was compromised with the raising of wages 12½ cents a day, a good deal of money in that period.

From 1836 to 1842 there were twenty strikes, most of which were unsuccessful, the strikers winning in but two instances.

The spread of strikes may be traced to the growth—almost unnatural in its quickness—of three American properties: iron works, coal mines, railroads.

The history of labor troubles, since 1870 proves that nine strikes out of ten have been of laborers in these three industries. With every new line of railway was opened a territory to be affected by a general strike.

Iron was the first of the all-powerful trio to be attacked. In 1842 the Pittsburg bosses reduced wages. The men struck against the reduction. But the men had no organization, and after four months they returned to work, as badly battered as if they had been literally striking against iron.

They were not as fortunate as the Philadelphia weavers, who in 1843 won a strike after destroying considerable property.

The iron-workers, however, had been taught a lesson, and began the formation of a union. Three years were spent in building up the organization, and in 1845 they renewed the conflict with their employers. After three months wages were raised to the standard demanded.

For five years the men were nearer contentment than ever before. Then the mill-owners again complained of the depression in trade, of falling markets, of the absolute need of reducing wages. Deeds followed words, and pay was cut. Of course the men struck.

Then capital tried, for the first time, a course that has since become terribly common. The militia was called out.

The following year was one of strikes. There were riots everywhere, the entire militia of Massachusetts being called out to conquer the rebellious shoemakers, who started upon a strike of their own.

The coal-fields were battle-fields from 1861 to 1871, there being six strikes during that decade, each greater than the one that went before. The miners were lawless; but the mine-owners were equally so, even refusing to obey an eight-hour law passed by the Pennsylvania Legislature.

BAD YEARS.

From 1871 to 1875 cigar-makers struck nearly one hundred times, being unsuccessful in nearly every instance.

But the spirit of brotherhood among the workers was growing. They saw that unity of action was best, that throughout a class each member must uphold the others.

The test soon came, and in an industry theretofore unaffected—the railroads. In 1877 the Baltimore and Ohio reduced wages 10 per cent. and the men struck. The Eastern railroads supported the B. and O., and at once the employes of those roads "went out" as a protest, the Pennsylvania, Erie, Reading, Lake Shore and Fort Wayne roads being tied up.

From the beginning there was bloodshed. First at Martinsburg, then at Baltimore, then in Philadelphia, strikers killed those who tried to take their places, and soldiers shot the strikers. In Chicago the state of affairs was almost as bad.

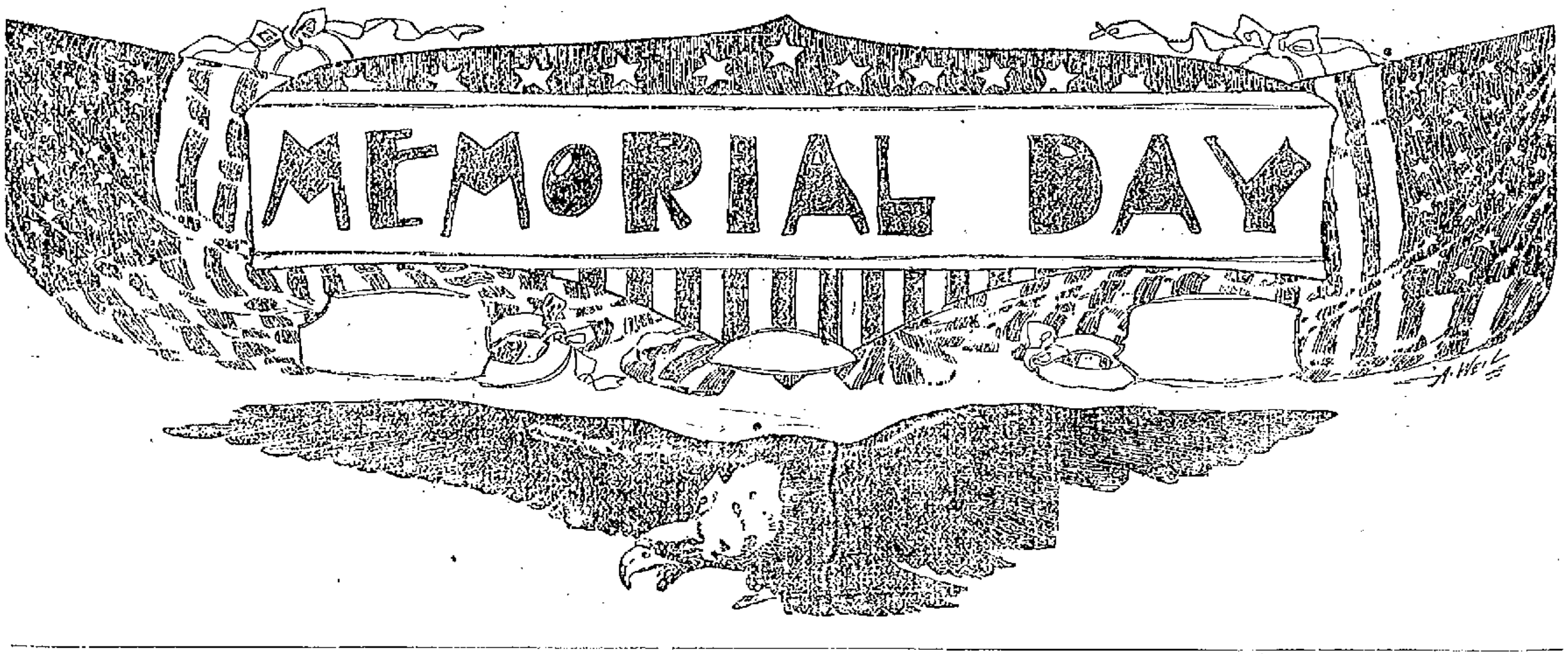
Troops were out in a half-dozen States. Ohio seemed on the verge of anarchy, strikers marching in turbulent procession through the streets of Cincinnati and Toledo, and defying the police.

Then arose a danger the most serious in labor troubles—the militia refused to fight the strikers. Workingmen themselves, they remembered that at any time they, too, might be fighting for bread, and they refused to fire on men engaged in such a combat.

In Pittsburg the soldiers even furnished the rioters with guns and ammunition. Federal troops were hurried into the breach, and the B. and O. men were driven to shelter. But they resumed violence when news reached them of the sympathetic strikes in the East.

Pennsylvania had an awful four days of carnage. Readjustment brought peace.

The Homestead strike, ten years later, is now historic, as is the Pullman strike of five years ago. Both sides had rights, both had wrongs!



A NEW MEMORIAL DAY FOR '99.

It Will Be Celebrated as the Greatest Military Holiday of the Year.

Memorial Day this year has a new significance. It commemorates the dead of the Spanish war, the heroes for whom buildings are still draped and crepe worn. It is just a year since the soldiers began falling under the Spanish shells, and though the war casualties were famously small, the loss, trifling as it is in the annals of history, is keenly felt. And to Memorial Day, '99, there is an added significance.

The custom of strewing flowers upon the graves of the dead is as old as the human race, yet it remained for the American people to inaugurate a Decoration Day. Thirty-two years ago a day was set apart as an annual holiday for the trimming of the graves of soldiers, and the day has grown in importance with the years. Though the North is generally credited with initiating the custom, it was actually the South that was first to have a Decoration Day.

The idea originated with Prof. Andrew Washburn, of Hyde Park, Mass., and later of Denver, Col. He had served in the Union Army, but went South just after the war as an educator, and was engaged in Richmond, Va., together with half a dozen other Eastern teachers, in those trying times. They were sad days, for Richmond was in trouble and poverty, and the most popular little trip was to Belle Isle, just above the city, in the James River, the site of the famous Confederate prison. It told a heart-rending story of death—did Belle Isle in those days—for there were long rows of irregular graves, and on one of these trips in the spring the Northern school teachers took with them a quantity of wild flowers, which they gathered en route, to scatter over the graves. They were assisted by many of the children of Richmond.

The following May, 1866, Prof. Washburn suggested to his assistants that they choose a regular day for the pilgrimage to Belle Isle to decorate the graves of fallen soldiers, and May 30 was the day decided upon.

Many children were invited and told to bring as many flowers as they could. On the evening of May 29 the teachers met in Mrs. Washburn's kitchen, and there made up the flowers into wreaths and bunches.

A RAINY DAY.

The next day was rainy, true to later Decoration Day records, but, nevertheless, the party, headed by the Mayor of the city, went to Belle Isle, bearing the flowers. They planted a cross among the mounds, and then went from headboard to headboard, nailing a wreath on each one.

At the close they all sung a war hymn, and, while they were singing, the clouds parted overhead and a beam of sunlight came through upon them. A clergyman who had accompanied them offered up a prayer, and with that the ceremony ended. That was the first Decoration Day.

The following year, 1867, the ladies of Richmond decorated the Confederate graves in Hollywood Cemetery, and a similar beautiful commemoration took place in North Carolina and elsewhere in the South.

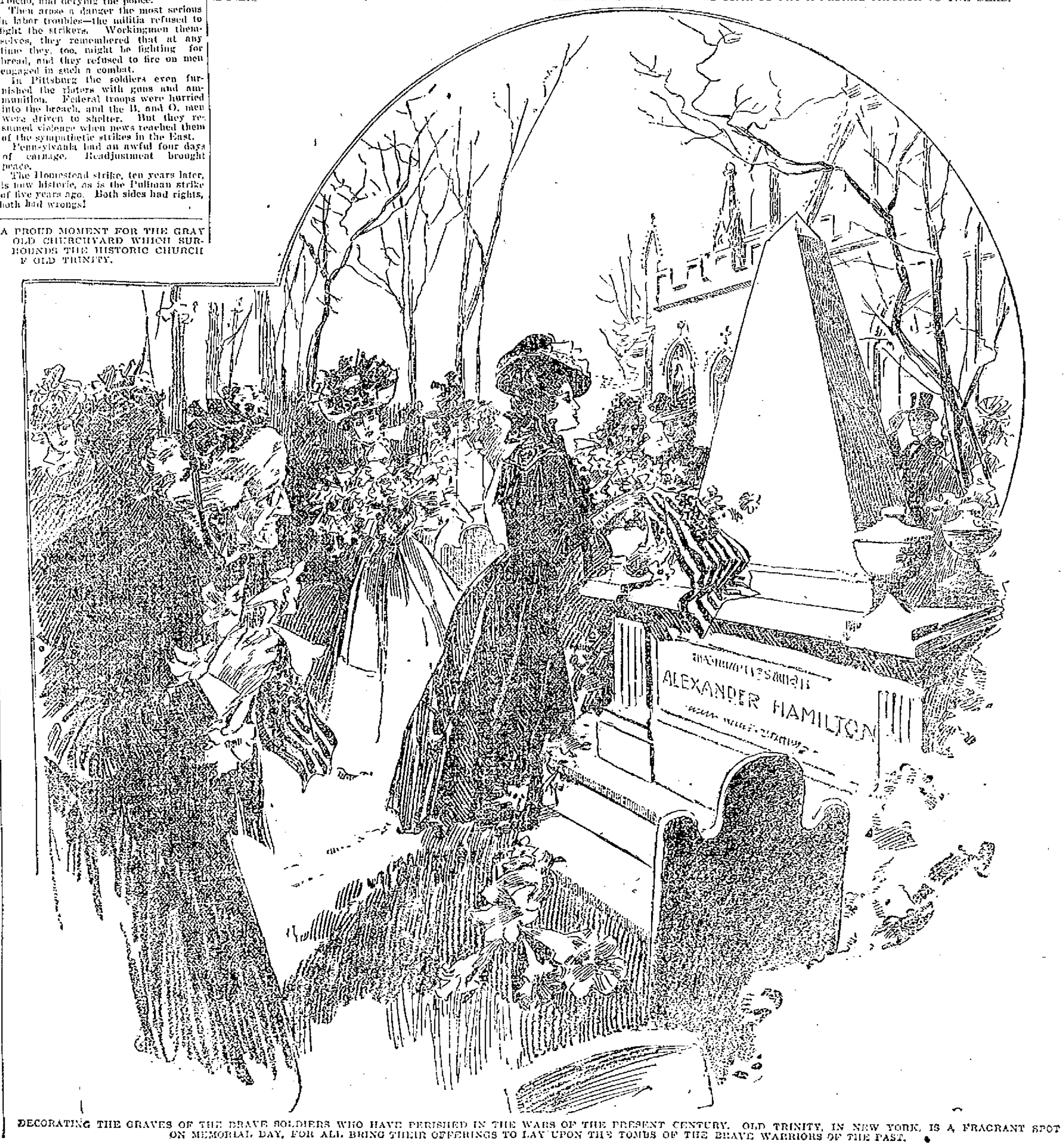
The next year the Grand Army of the Republic took up the subject, and Gen. John A. Logan sent forth a general order designating the 30th day of May for the decoration of the graves of the brave soldiers who had fallen in the war.

The most enthusiastic States were Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Ohio and Pennsylvania. New York and New Jersey responded liberally. Kentucky and Tennessee showed a wide observance of Decoration Day, and the cemeteries in Virginia, at Arlington, Culpeper and Yorktown, bloomed like a rose garden. No State but tried to do something.

To-day no soldier's tomb in the United States is knowingly left undecorated on Memorial Day. The Government has eighteen National cemeteries, which it guards with special care. Here 300,000 of our soldiers lay, but not a grave will be slighted next Tuesday, for Decoration Day will be observed this year as it has not been for twenty-five years.

THE TOMB OF ALEXANDER HAMILTON IS IN THE HEART OF NEW YORK'S BUSIEST QUARTER. OLD TRINITY STANDS NEARLY AT THE HEAD OF WALL STREET, AND AT THIS TIME MONEYED MEN AND SOCIETY BELLES COME TO PAY A FLORAL TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD.

A PROUD MOMENT FOR THE GRAY OLD CHURCHYARD WHICH SURROUNDS THE HISTORIC CHURCH F OLD TRINITY.



DECORATING THE GRAVES OF THE BRAVE SOLDIERS WHO HAVE PERISHED IN THE WARS OF THE PRESENT CENTURY. OLD TRINITY, IN NEW YORK, IS A FRAGRANT SPOT ON MEMORIAL DAY, FOR ALL BRING THEIR OFFERINGS TO LAY UPON THE TOMBS OF THE BRAVE WARRIORS OF THE PAST.

GREAT DEEDS OF THE SPANISH WAR.

They Make More Heroic Reading Than Those of Leander, of the Hellespont and the Hero of Thermopylae.

A poet lamented the other day that there were no deeds of heroism to sing of the late war. Poor poet! He little knew that to his blinded eyes a scene was presented which, if the vista were secured, would stretch out broader, nobler and fairer than any of the marvelous works of history. Nineteenth century deeds were those of marvelous gallantry in the field. All the wars of history seem leading up to the time when the United States should buckle on its armor and go to fight Spain and utterly defeat it—not by overwhelming forces, but by strategy, cleverness, bravery and right.

The greatest deed of the Spanish war is, in the opinion of many, the deed of Hobson in the sinking of the Merrimac. The young man, without knowing what lay in Santiago Bay, went boldly forth with half a dozen comrades and blew up the ship upon which he stood, trusting to the waters to carry him home. The cutting of the bridge by the Roman of old was not more heroic than this.

"O, Tiber, Father Tiber, to whom the Romans pray,
A Roman's life, a Roman's arms take thou in charge this day."

So sang Horatius at the bridge when the last beam had been severed; and so saying he threw himself into the Tiber to swim across to his army. Hobson did as great a thing, and greater, for, in the dead of night, he blew up his ship and undertook the impossible task of swimming out of the intricate waters of the Atlantic. Of course, he was captured, but his captors treated him with the deference of a prisoner of state.

Was not the deed of Hamilton Fish worthy a war poem? Should not one wreath on Memorial Day be laid upon his headstone? On June 24 of last year, before our soldiers had tasted shot and shell, he rode ahead of the famous Rough Riders right into the heart of the enemy's country. They were almost certain of ambush. That morning Fish said to one of his comrades: "I'll go on ahead; I'm big, and they can see me coming."

And they did see him coming. On foot, cutting his way through the bushes, pushing ahead of all the rest, went the brave young soldier, his six feet three inches of height towering over the heads of them all. Suddenly, they were in ambush, and the first shot mowed him down. He died where he fell; his last instructions were: "Go on; never mind me!"

Colonel Roosevelt, Governor of New York State, went up San Juan Hill, waving his sword, while the shot fell so thick around him that it felt like hailstones. His hat and his hand were shot; but he threw away the one and tied up the other and went on, rejoicing that it was his left hand. He said afterward that he could not help going into the fight; if he hadn't gone as fast as he did his men would have run over him. But the men tell a different story. They say that Colonel Roosevelt rushed upon the enemy with such ferocity that they were obliged to push hard after him, or they would have lost sight of his coat tails.

Colonel Funston, the hero of nine lives, swam a river in Cuba, as he has just swam one in the Philippines. The Colonel took a perilous ride once through the enemy's country, on the way to find Gomez. He was chased by Spanish cavalry, and did the clever trick of doubling on his own course. Striking into the woods, he turned back and passed his pursuers, who were spurring on their horses after him.

What about Schley's race when he stood upon the bridge of the ship, and, looking at the retreating form of the Christobal Colon, said: "I want that ship." Schley never quit his exposed position through the engagement, and had the satisfaction of getting the ship which he wanted.

Wainwright's little Gloucester will be famous in history. Why not write a poem to the little yacht which put on its war paint and went out as a baby warship? Captain Wainwright saw two torpedo-boat destroyers, the Terror and the Pluton, close together, and he said to himself: "Why not kill two birds with one stone?" And kill them he did. The Gloucester, with her little guns pointed on the fierce destroyers, shot them through and through, and sank them out at sea. They lie there somewhere in the deep as monuments of the work of the yacht manned by Wainwright and his crew.

Captain Clark's run around the cape with Engineer Millican will be told in verse some day when our poets wake up to the fact that this war has been one of great deeds. Captain Clark was told to sail around Cape Horn and up the coast of South America, and to join our fleet in the Gulf of Mexico. He was warned that there might be danger on the high seas, for the Cape Verde fleet was lost sight of.

When he put in at Brazil, he found this message waiting for him: "The Cape Verde fleet probably lying in your course. If you meet them, you do the best you can."

After reading that telegram, Captain Clark sent for Engineer Millican, and said to him: "What can we do?" and Millican replied: "I can give them a pretty good run for their money."

For twenty-eight days and nights the Oregon was kept under full steam, ready at every moment for a surprise. One day they got a terrible fright aboard, for a little boat loomed up in the distance. But, as it came nearer, it proved to be under the English flag.

Captain Clark had his course mapped out, and this is the way he describes it now: "I intended, if I met Cervera's fleet, to run away as fast as I could. This would string out the seven warships until they were one behind the other, a mile or two apart, and then I intended to turn suddenly around and meet them one by one, and I knew that I could sink the whole fleet that way."

Engineer Millican, who kept the boilers going as high as possible, is generous in his thanks to the chemist aboard ship. He said: "If it had not been for our chemist I could not have kept the steam up. He kindly allowed me to give the crew water from which the salt had been extracted only until it was pleasant to the taste. He did not insist upon a perfectly pure water. Thus I was able to keep the engine and boilers supplied with enough water to keep the steam up to its fullest capacity."

Here are only half a dozen of the most conspicuous deeds, not counting those of Sampson and Dewey; but the poet, if he reads this, will have enough to do for the present.

COMES UNDER LAW

Witch Hazel Taxable as Toilet Water.

MANY LOWELL DRUGGISTS AFFECTED.

They Carry Large Quantities in Stock.

Many Lowell druggists have been surprised to learn that by recent decision, the commodity known as witch hazel is taxable as toilet water under act of June 13, 1898. The object of this law is to tax all proprietary preparations with trade-mark, all patented mixtures, all remedies advertised for the cure of diseases, provided directions for use appear on the label, all so-called "non-secret" remedies, "all remedies or preparations advertised in any print, such as any newspapers, by hand bill, circular, poster, or public sign and recommended to alleviate any ill whatever, whether the use be by "internal or external application," all perfumes, etc., of special interest at this time, "all preparations and compositions held out and specially recommended as adding to or enhancing the beauty of the skin, hair, mouth, or complexion. These include all face powders, rouge, hair dyes, hair oils, vaseline, petroleum, bay rum, dentrifices, tooth paste, complexion soaps and similar articles."

Witch hazel was not held taxable under the act as it was supposed to be used only for medicinal purposes and unless special claims were made for its curative properties on the package, it would not be included in the above list of articles.

The following extract from a letter from the office of commissioner of internal revenue, dated Washington, D. C., May 8, 1899, is explanatory:

* * * * "You are advised that this office has recently held since the act of June 13, 1898, went into effect, that witch hazel, being believed to have been more often used as a medicinal preparation was dependent upon the claims made for it as a remedy for some ailments in order to have been charged with the stamp act under schedule B. But now this office is reliably informed that witch hazel is universally used as a toilet water; that the amount so consumed is believed to be greatly in excess of that employed as a medicinal preparation, and therefore, its former ruling, holding it taxable only when it is held out as a specific for some ailment or put up in the style and manner of proprietary medicines, is rescinded and it is held instead to be taxable under schedule B as a toilet water and it must be stamped in bulk or otherwise before it is removed from the place of manufacture or importation, regardless of the style or manner in which it is sold or what claims are made for it on the label, or, in fact, whether it is labeled at all or not, so long as the fact that it is witch hazel is known.

Druggists have been bothered by the clause referring to labels and directions for use as many articles of common use are put up in this way.

This tax of witch hazel will add to their tribulations, since many of them carry large quantities in stock and a tax of one-eight of a cent for every five cents worth will mean a good deal to those having a large stock on hand.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 27, 1899.

May 18, Nora Fitzgerald, 18, consumption.
19, John Keane, 58, pulm. hemorrhage.
Nellie Whitworth, 32, catr. bronchitis.
Louis Sarrasin, 7 mos., cap. bronchitis.
20, Susie E. Trask, 38, cer. hemorrhage.
Romola Rochette, 27, metritis.
M. Adelaide Lepine, 10, pyemia.
Mary Zueras, 3, meningitis.
George Ellison, 1, bronchitis.
Marie Richard, 8 days, anaemia.
21, Sarah Mathews, 72, apoplexy.
William B. Giles, 36, tubercolosis.
Sarah L. Robinson, 39, phthisis.
Bessie Tapletz, 28, phthisis.
Jeremiah Geary, 20, pneumonia.
22, Rosalie D. Paulint, 70, disease of liver.
William J. Corbett, 63, disease of heart.
Charles E. Andrews, 56, apoplexy.
Jeremiah Hurley, 45, cap. bronchitis.
Rose Perry, 23, consumption.
Mary Kelley, 71, pneumonia.
22, Bridget Bergen, 79, diabetes.
Ann Hartigan, 65, cancer.
Willard Spinney, 40, Bright's disease.
23, Anastasia Collins, 57, myocarditis.
Michael Tulley, 55, senility.
Mary A. Shepherd, 67, heart disease.
Kate L. Holland, 67, heart disease.
Harvey L. Aldreich, 24, ch. diarrhoea.
Arthur Richard, 34, heart disease.
Irine Downing, 9 mos., dentition.
24, Henrietta Kurtz, 64, cirrhosis of liver.
Gladis E. Graffam, 5, measles.
Mary McDonald, 11mos. marasmus.
——Widen, 2 mos. inanition.
Rosanna Richard, 13 days anaemia.
25, Alexandrine Manseau, 26, phthisis.
Elzear Boisvert, 1, measles.
Joseph Silva, 8 mos., pneumonia.

GIRARD P. DADMAN,
City Clerk.

ORDAINED A DEACON.

In the annual spring ordinations for the seminarians of St. John's Ecclesiastical seminary at Brighton held Saturday morning in the cathedral of the Holy Cross, Rev. John J. O'Hearn of this city was ordained deacon.

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—AT ALL DRUGGISTS—

VESPERS WON GOLF GAME.

The Lexington golf club played a team match against the Vesper Country club of Lowell on the Lexington links Saturday and was defeated 6 up. A large delegation of club members accompanied the visiting team and were handsomely entertained by the women of the Lexington club after the match. The score:

VESPERS.	
Thorp	0
Chadwick	4
Ranney	6
Corwin	0
Grover	1
Sherman	1
Total	12

LEXINGTON.	
Griffiths	2
Tyler	0
Courtney	0
Sewall	2
Stevens	2
Lockwood	0
Total	6

A game in the series for the Kennard cup, a trophy donated to be competed for by the women of both clubs, also took place. Miss Ames of Lowell and Miss Gookin of Lexington played a tie with a score of 119 each, but on the playoff Miss Ames proved the winner. The summary:

	First round	Second round	Total
Miss Ames, Lowell	58	61	119
Miss Gookin, Lexg.	55	64	119
Miss E. Lockwood, "	61	74	135
Miss R. Lockwood, "	71	72	143
Mrs. Chadwick Low'll	74	81	155
Miss Clarke, Lexg.	75	80	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths, "	75	81	155
Miss H. E. Griffiths "	76	81	156

No card, Mrs. Reed, Lexington.

MATHEWS WON

Made Garrison Finish in Saturday's Game

GRIMES CAME TO THE RESCUE

When Jack Fahey Had Weakened.

The Mathews opened up the home season in the Trolley league by winning a game from the Newburyports at Mountain Rock Saturday.

The score was large, 19 to 18, yet the excitement was great at all times.

It looked all up for the Mathews in the fifth, when the visitors' scored nine runs and made the score 15 to 6, in their favor. Fahey lost control of the ball entirely in this inning, and let the Newburyports hit the ball hard. Those who did not hit it got to first on balls.

Grimes was substituted and held his opponents down.

The Mats got in the game in their half in the sixth and aided by wild throws piled up seven runs. They tied the score in the seventh and won in the eighth when they made four runs. The features of the game were a rattling double play by Lynch and Castles circus catches by Brown and Vaughn, and the base running of Doyle. Early in the game, Dunlavey got struck in the lip by a foul and got a bad cut. After that he wore a mask behind the bat.

The score:

MATHEWS.	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
Maguire, 2b	6	1	1	1	5	3	1
Lynch, cf	4	3	3	3	8	1	0
Boyle, ss	2	2	1	1	1	4	1
Castles, 1b	5	2	1	3	6	0	2
Hoyle, rf	6	4	3	3	1	0	0
Vaughn, lf	4	3	3	3	2	0	1
Fahey p	3	0	0	0	0	1	1
Grimes, p	3	1	2	2	0	0	0
Dunlavey, c	4	0	0	0	6	0	6
King, 3b	5	3	2	2	3	2	1
Totals	42	19	16	17	27	11	9

NEWBURYPORT.	ab	r	b	tb	po	a	e
B. Atkinson, 2b	6	4	4	4	2	0	1
Pilloe, lf	6	2	2	2	0	0	2
O. Atkinson, 1b	5	2	2	4	9	2	0
Merritt, c	4	1	1	1	8	8	3
Leary, ss	5	1	3	3	0	6	2
Ring, 3b	3	2	2	2	3	3	1
Brown, 3b, rf, cf	5	2	1	1	2	0	2
Pope, cf, rf	5	1	0	0	0	0	1
Shepard, p	[illegible]	2	2	2	0	1	1
Totals	45	18	17	19	24	19	13

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Mathews........ 0 2 0 4 1 7 1 4 *—19
Newports .... 0 0 2 4 9 0 0 0 3—18

The Emmetts laid off on Saturday. So did the Mysteries, of whom Manager Burnett says all the other teams in the city are afraid.

The Shamrocks says that for some time to come their attention will be engaged in playing return games. Manager Kavanaugh says, however, he is willing to forego one of the dates to play with the Mathews.

The victory of the Brockton team last week has greatly encouraged Manager Burnham, and he will be out for the lead from this time on. He announced this morning two important additions to the Brockton team. William V. Hawke, a pitcher from Wilmington, Del., has accepted terms. Hawke was formerly on the Baltimore league team. Two years ago he fell from a horse and wrenched his hand and was unable to pitch. He is highly recommended by Day and McCafferty, who say he has great speed and is a find.

John F. Quinn, for two years captain and catcher of the Peoria team of the Western association, has also accepted terms. Two years ago he caught in 95 games. He is recommended by Bernard, who has played with him, and who says he is a fine backstop and a strong thrower. With these additions Brockton will very shortly make some of the other larger teams hustle. With good support some great playing is sure to be seen at Highland Park.

Catcher Nelson, with Newport last year and with Buffalo, a while this spring, is playing with Cortland, N. Y., where Mike Birmingham is covering first in fine form.

Manager Burns believes in keeping young pitchers on the bench as long as possible before allowing them to make their major league debut. It gives them an opportunity of getting acquainted with the league batsmen without suffering defeat. His method worked well with Katall.

Brampton, who was featured in metropolitan papers as a pitcher for the New Yorks, has been tried by the Waterbury club in the Connecticut state league, and has been turned adrift.

Streh has been released by Newport and Shires is playing third. Armstrong is covering first until a third baseman can be secured.

Jack Downey, a catcher and outfielder who has played with Hamilton, Ont. would like a chance on a New England league team.

The Cambridge team which will assume the title of Lowells, when they come here for a permanent stay and beginning their season in this city a week from today, though they are easily the tailenders of the New England league, can play ball and hold their own with the best nine the league affords, says Manager Blake, who will do his utmost to make new league ball pay in this city. "You can say to the people of Lowell for me," remarked Mr. Blake, "that the team does not come here for a day a week or a month but for all the time. We will give Lowell the kind of games for which its admirers have long been waiting for. The city government has been invited to attend the opening game. Billy Connors will cover second base.

The Eagles have organized for the season of '99. They are as follows: C. Smith, c; T. Shanahan, ss; Jigger Killeen, 3b; J. Sullivan, lf; E. Mullin, cf; T. Morrison, rf; T. Rowe, sub; Big Feet Thompson, batminder. They would like to hear from any team under 14 years. McGovern says his arm is in fine shape for pitching. Send challenges to Carl Smith, 8 Gold street.

In a slugging match which half the town, including a large portion of the young female population turned out to see, Jim Rodgers' Colts, the vigorous Collinsvilles, "did" the Orients on the home grounds Saturday afternoon. Summary:

Collinsville .0 3 1 4 9 5 0 0 0—22
Orients .....1 0 1 4 4 3 5 0 1—19

Batteries, Orients, Scott and Moody; Collinsville, Houle and Rogers. Struck out by Scott, 4; by Houle, 9.

James now wants to get a crack at the Shamrocks or any other Lowell team that knows the fine points of the game.

The Shamrocks were on hand at the North Common Saturday afternoon to contest a game with the Groves, but not enough of the latter nine appeared. A forfeit to the Shamrocks was declared.

The Y.M.C.A. beat the Tigers of the North common by a score 15 to 6. The Tigers had the Y.M.C.A. 1 to 0 till the 3rd inning, when the latter piled up 7 runs and won the game. In the second inning, Russell, the pitcher of the Y.M.C.A.'s struck out three men in succession, only pitching 14 balls in all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark of North New Portland, Me., and Miss Winona Clark of Wellesley college are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Savage of South Walker street.

SANCTUARY CHOIR.

A sanctuary choir has been organized among the boys of St. Peter's church and rehearsals are being held under the direction of Fred O. Blunt, who is instructing the boys in singing. It is intended to have the sanctuary choir sing at the services when the new church is opened.

AT CITY FARM.

Miss Bennett, the new assistant secretary of the Y. W. C. A., had charge of the gospel meeting at the City Farm yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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DOWN GOES THE PRICE ON
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AT J. DRAIN'S, 111 GORHAM ST.

The very newest shapes in Sailors, sold everywhere for $1.25; our price from today only 69c.
Sailors that were 75c. and $1.00, now $49c.
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SHAPES OF ALL KINDS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS OF ALL KINDS MARKED DOWN ALMOST ONE HALF. GREATEST BARGAINS IN MILLINERY EVER OFFERED IN LOWELL. WE BUY FOR CASH, AND WE BUY GOOD GOODS CHEAP, AND WE SELL GOOD GOODS CHEAP. EVERY ARTICLE IN OUR STORE RELIABLE. EVERY CUSTOMER TREATED ALIKE. NO TWO PRICES HERE. OUR BUSINESS IS DONE RIGHT, THAT IS WHY OUR BUSINESS IS INCREASING EVERY MONTH IN THE YEAR. GOOD GOODS, LOW PRICES, SQUARE DEALING WITH EVERYBODY. ALSO LARGE DISCOUNTS FOR CASH PURCHASES MADE.

DRAIN, DRY AND FANCY GOODS STORE. THE STORE FOR THE PEOPLE TO TRADE.

DON'T SAY WHEN YOU READ THIS AD. THAT THERE IS NO USE GOING TO DRAIN, THE STORE IS ALWAYS CROWDED. NOW DON'T LET THAT STOP YOU. WE HAVE HIRED EXTRA HELP, AND ARE ALL PREPARED TO DO YOU JUSTICE, AND SAVE YOU MONEY EVERY TIME. COME EVERYBODY TO J. DRAIN, 111 GORHAM STREET. OPEN EVENINGS.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE or to let, a baker shop and grocery store, with fixtures, in good condition, also barn attached at Wilton, N. H. Only baker shop in town. Good stand. Inquire of A. Hamilton, 90 Tilden street, city.

FOR SALE—Pool room and cigar store for sale at 169 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—Hotel in Nashua, steam heat, electric bells. For particulars, address W. M., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Large boarding house cor. Fayette and East Merrimack streets, with 30 steady, good paying boarders and roomers. Price $400. This is a rare chance; come quick or you will lose it.

FOR SALE—A first class bar with restaurant attached; 3 minutes' walk from depot; good reasons for selling; terms low. 59 Eddy street, Providence, R. I.

FOR SALE—A complete set of shoemaker's tools; also good Singer sewing machines. Enquire of John Lawson, Graniteville, Mass.

FOR SALE—Desirable farms, cheap. Apply soon to Lemuel M. Hutchings, Westford, Mass.

FOR SALE—Eclipse Oil Co. Stock. Address G., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Must be sold this week, a bed lounge, a parlor stove and a baby carriage at your own price. Call evenings. 74 Washington street.

FOR SALE—Best fitted and cleanest restaurant in Lawrence; first class; location beats all others, and is paying good money. Price reasonable. Anyone that wants a good business and make money this is the one. Address or apply to O. W. Howard, 521 Essex street.

FOR SALE—Boarding and lodging house in good location on Merrimack street; price low; a great snap. Inquire at Room 1, Mansur block, Central street.

FOR SALE—The entire outfit for preparing fried fish and chipped potatoes. We are going out of the business for good reasons and offer the outfit at a bargain. For full particulars apply to J. W. Robinson, 119 Tenney street, Methuen, Mass.

WAGONS—Inspection invited to my select stock of Concords, democrats, square wagons, panel side wagons, and an assortment of second hand phaetons, Stanhope buggies, wagons in good condition, all of which I will sell at bargains. J. F. Libby, 69 Hobbins street.

FOR SALE—A first-class cobbler's shop, including all kinds of tools, lasts, machines, etc. Apply at 114 Pleasant street.

WILL SELL OR TRADE—4000 feet of land 15 minutes walk from Centralville bridge, price $100. Also a cottage of 7 rooms near Gorham street at a bargain; 8000 feet at Yellow Meeting House. Inquire 1195 Bridge street.

MUST SELL my upright piano, stool, scarf, and 150 sheets of music; would prefer cash, but will sell on instalments. Address P. O. Box 487.

FOR SALE—Lot of land on Highland avenue 5000 feet, by Lewis D. Gumb, 914 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—Ten R.I.P.A.N.S for 5 cents at druggists. One gives relief.

FOR SALE—One of the best places ever offered in Lowell for the money. A new two story house of eight rooms, all modern improvements, wash room with set tubs, also bath room and pantry, large barn. Cars pass the door. Price low and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—All the lots belonging to the Fay estate on the boulevard and Varnum avenue at prices and terms to suit all who wish to secure a home in the most pleasant part of Lowell. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Hildreth street 7 room cottage house, near Bridge street. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—3 1-2 miles from Lowell, near the cars; one of the best small farms out of Lowell; 9 acres of land, house and barn in first class repair, lots of fruit; can be bought on easy terms. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—A most desirable corporation boarding house in good location. Very cheap. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Bowers street two tenement house, good location. Price $1900. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

FOR SALE—On Grace street two tenement house of five rooms each tenement. Price $2600. G. L. Hubbard, 121 Central street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SIDE LINE—Free outfit offered by prominent house. Protected ground. "Rubber," P. O. 1371, New York.

BERTHA E. BIRD, trance and business medium. Advice on everything pertaining to past, present and future. Test circle Monday evenings. 225 Broadway.

SECOND HAND Goods of every description bought for cash. Good prices paid for bicycles and furniture. Let me know what you have to sell and I will call. Harry Abrahams, 55 Haverhill street, Lawrence.

THE FIVE CENT LIMIT—Mr. Joseph Brouillette has opened a Refreshment Establishment at the place known as the 5 Cent Limit, on the Nashua electric line and will serve all kinds of light refreshments to those stopping at the popular summer resort, also summer boarders.

RUBBER STAMPS—At wholesale prices. 1 inch one line stamps 10c.; 1 1-2 inch 15c.; 50c. ink pads 25c.; 25c. ink pads 15c.; 50c. linen markers 25c.; business stamps 10c. per line. J. M. Fellows, 163 Merrimack street.

THE EX-PRESIDENT of the Bakers' union pays one hundred dollars to all the scab shops in this city if they can show a better loaf of bread than he keeps in his store at 152 Church street. Brothers and sisters patronize him respectively. Paul Bretschneider, Union Bakery.

CALL at 63 Merrimack street to buy or sell second-hand furniture. Telephone 603-3.

MADAM NATHAN, trance and business medium; ladies and gents 25c. 40 John street.

WATER CLOSETS and bath tubs from $5.00 up. All first class plumbing at lowest prices. J. H. Barry, 178 Market street.

REMOVAL—Sam Smith, formerly at 131 Market street, has removed his Boot and Shoe Store to the new Appleton stores, 271 Middlesex street, where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers. Boots, shoes and rubbers repaired at lowest prices. New and second hand shoes for sale cheap.

Scrubbing

of the kitchen and back hall floors takes time, leaves the floors damp and makes them soft and spongy, ready to receive dirt. Grease spots become prominent and after a time the floors are in a most unsatisfactory condition. All this may be avoided by the use of

GLOBE
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The directions are simple.
Quart Cans 50c.
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WRITE OR CALL for a booklet "On the Treatment of Floors."
It is worth your time.

C. B. Coburn & Co.
63 Market Street.

Warm Weather

Is coming to stay with us for the next three months and you will need all the comfort you can get, so do not heat your house and blood trying to do your own bread baking when you can get the best Bread, Cakes and Pastry that can possibly be made at less price than you can make it, of

Peter Watson.

He has two Bakeries: at 52 to 60 Charles street and 46 Lawrence street. Watson's bakery supplies are on sale in all parts of the city. When you get Peter Watson's you have got the best.

52 to 60 Charles St.,
46 Lawrence St.

OFFICE TO LET—In The Sun building. Inquire at Sun office.

WANTED.

WANTED—A situation as kitchen girl. Inquire of Margaret Kelley, 36 Union street.

WANTED—By a man and wife a nicely furnished room, with or without board, in private family, in vicinity of Westford street. Address D., this office.

WANTED—Situation by young man of 17; store work preferred. Address L. 35, Sun office.

WANTED—Agents. Sell our goods and make $5 daily easily and pleasantly. D. Archibald, 78 Nassau street, New York.

WANTED—Three men to solicit orders for the latest improved household novelties. Call at once and examine our "Perfect" Clothes Wringer; entirely new. E. D. Shadduck Co., 251 Middlesex street.

WANTED—First class Down East or Swede girl for general house work, apply Saturday May 27 at 117 Stevens street from 2 to 5 p.m., Mrs. Henry L. Pike.

WANTED—Pattern makers. One or two first class men. Apply to O. H. Phillip, 45 Purchase street, Boston.

WANTED—Lady agents for medicine company. Salary and expenses at the start. No experience necessary. Call in person at once at 83 First Street.

WANTED—Competent man here with $2000 cash. Permanent position, worth $3000 yearly; staple line. J. Splane, Como Building, Chicago.

WANTED—A lady to take charge of cutting school in Lowell. Good salary and commission. Call or address immediately. C. J. Burns, Binkeley Building, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—Collectors and canvassers. Call room 31 Hildreth Building, till 8.30 p. m.

AGENTS WANTED—For a special summer campaign. The Saturday Evening Post—established by Benjamin Franklin in 1728—now published by The Curtis Publishing Company, proprietors of the Ladies' Home Journal, is offered to subscribers, for one year only, for $1.00—the regular price is $2.50. This offer is for the purpose of a quick introduction, and will be withdrawn September 1st. The regular price of $2.50 will be maintained after that date. We will give a good commission for every subscriber secured and distribute $2000 September 1st among the 175 best agents. $500 will be given the person sending the largest number of subscribers at $1.00 each per year. At this special low subscription price thousands can be easily secured. Address The Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Names of ruptured people. We cure rupture free to introduce our method. Dr. Speirs, 31 Main street, Westbrook, Me.

WANTED—A blacksmith and helper at Sawyer Carriage Co., Worthen Street.

STENOGRAPHER and typewriter—A young man, competent stenographer and typewriter desires employment. Best of references. Address X., Sun office.

WANTED—Honest man for office. Look after agents. Previous experience not necessary. Small amount of cash required. Address Leonard, Lowell Sun.

WANTED—By American woman situation as nurse or companion to elderly people. Address Mrs. M. Foster, 23 Coburn street, Lowell, Mass.

WANTED—Room with power for light manufacturing, about 80x30. Address P. O. Box 978, city.

WANTED—A second hand refrigerator or ice chest. Address B., Sun office.

WANTED—First class paper hangers and painters. 370 Gorham street.

WANTED—Everywhere. Hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc. No canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

WANTED—Men to bring their lawn mowers to be sharpened and put in first class condition, by Gonzales the Cutler. Razors concaved and honed. 128 Gorham street. Every job warranted.

RELIABLE MAN to employ and look after canvassers. $65 per month and expenses guaranteed. References required. Clark & Co., 231 S. 4th street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—An unfurnished front room in St. Peter's parish. Call for Miss O'Day, 98 John street.

WANTED—100 boys call at Room 19, St. Lawrence hotel to sell London Champion Silver Polish at 5c. a package. Prize given to the one selling the most. Gold watch or suit of clothes.

LADIES—Chichester English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best, safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. in stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MEALERS and boarders wanted at Central Restaurant, 454 Central street, opposite Union street. Price low. Meals at all hours.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A gold Greek letter pin, with name on back. Reward at 263 Pawtucket street.

LOST—Black coon cat. Liberal reward and no questions at 25 Mt. Vernon street, Lowell.

FOUND—The best place in Lowell for ladies to buy hats, bonnets, sailors, etc. at moderate prices is at No. 616 Merrimack street, Mde. Maxime Lepine, formerly 357 Moody street. Call in and ask prices.

TO LET.

TO LET—A nicely furnished room, at 779 Merrimack street. Good locality.

TO LET—In North Chelmsford, a fine tenement in a double house, also a barn, ample room for two horses and carriages, water, sewerage and every convenience, rent easy, terms with the right party. Inquire at 415 Middlesex street, F. M. Barney & Co., Grocers.

TO LET—Tenement of 19 rooms, including bath room; all in excellent repair. Suitable for a boarding or apartment house, at 63 Whipple street. Three minutes' walk to the Wamesit Power Co. mills. Rent reasonable. Apply at store down stairs.

TO LET—A cottage house of seven rooms and bath on Baldwin street. G. D. Kimball, 51 Central street.

TO LET—Quickly. Rarely any ever vacant houses, tenements and flats, made and kept free from pesky bugs by the use of Dow's Bug Poison. No need to suffer with bugs when a few cents will kill all the scamps. See Dow's, 539 Central street.

TO LET—Some first class 27 and 33 tenements in Centralville, good location. Apply to A. G. Beharrel, Room 8, Bon Marche block.

TO LET—Two square rooms. Inquire at 715 Merrimack street, corner Austin.

TO LET—Blacksmith shop. Inquire Connors Bros., Thorndike street.

TO LET—Rooms with or without board, one large front room on first floor with gas, furnished or unfurnished. Price low. 267 Fayette street.

STRAW HATS.

All the latest and most popular hats are to be found in our line for this season.

TEAGUE & TEAGUE
Cor. Central and Middle Streets.

Summer Session.

To equip young people with such practical knowledge of business and shorthand affairs that it will ensure first-class positions, is the guaranty of the
N. E. BUSINESS UNIVERSITY,
Runels Building, Merrimack Sq., Lowell, Mass.
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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
The Kind You Have Always Bought

A 5 Cent Lunch.

A 5 cent package of Uneeda Biscuit forms the basis of an ideal lunch. Ideal because they do good as well as taste good—muscle building as well as palate pleasing.

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are good anywhere and everywhere. Good for the child's lunch as the working man's; equally good as the basis of a dainty luncheon or a substantial meal. You can't understand the goodness of Uneeda Biscuit until you try them.
Your grocer has them in air tight moisture proof 5 cent packages. Never sold in bulk. Take no imitations.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE SUN ON SALE IN BOSTON.

The five o'clock edition of The Sun is on sale at the news stand in the Union Station, Boston.

IF YOU MUST DRINK.

Drink our high grade Teas and Coffees; they are the best. Sugar delivered free to our Tea and Coffee customers. Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS AND DRAFTS.

Sold on the Cunard, Dominion, White Star, American, Anchor, Allen, French and German lines to and from Boston, New York, Queenstown and Liverpool. Drafts issued for any amount on all parts of Ireland at Murphy's agency, 18 Appleton street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Horne's coal.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred Cigars.

Elegant rubber tired hacks at O'Donnell's. Telephone 430-4.

Regular 10-cent glass of Ice Cream Soda, 5c at Martin's Drug Store.

The Butler Vets leave Lowell tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock to participate in the muster at Natick.

Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Lanoue are happy over the arrival of girl twins. The sponsors are Ernest and Hildas Lanoue, joyful uncle and aunt of the little ones.

"Are they going to fail, or what's the matter?" you will ask when you read O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s advertisement in Wednesday's papers. Just watch for it.

Mortgage Sale by Public Auction of the MEAT and GROCERY STORE at number 253 Smith street opposite Shaw Hosiery on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, A.D., 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., also one horse, one wagon and one harness. Stock is all new and worthy of your consideration.

Donovan & Mansur, Auctioneers.

FLAHERTY-O'BRIEN.

Martin Flaherty of this city and Jack O'Brien of New York meet at the Lenox A. C. tonight. Martin and his friends are confident he will win, although he is going up against one of the best men in his class.

You can make money by spending money at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.'s mark-down sale. See Wednesday papers for particulars.

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor council was held yesterday afternoon at Building Laborers' hall, with the usual large attendance.

Several communications were received, including a notice from the Boot & Shoe Workers' union of Marlboro to the effect that the strike in that city is still on, notwithstanding the report to the contrary. At the next regular meeting the new delegates will be admitted and the election of officers for the ensuing six months will be held. Action will also be taken on the matter of celebrating Labor Day in a fitting manner.

An invitation to attend the reception to be given Thomas Connelly, Friday night was received.

Money they need, stock is too heavy, these are the reasons for the unusual sale the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. are preparing. See Wednesday's paper for further news.

IN THE RAIN

HOW THE CYCLISTS FARED YESTERDAY.

Yesterday was the worst day the cyclists have experienced this season. Hundreds went to Silver lake and other points outside of the city and were caught in the rain. The spectacle of the drenched cyclists, including many girls, was laughable and yet pitiable. On the return the road was muddy and dangerous. The mud got into the wheels and made them hard to run and then the slipping caused many falls. Every rider that returned in the rain had a stripe of mud thrown from the rear wheel up his back and over his head. Some of the women presented a similar spectacle. Many remained at farmhouses until a late hour and returned after the rain with little trouble. If some of the cyclists did not contract pneumonia yesterday, it was not their fault.

Wanted, 50 extra sales-ladies and men for mammoth sale at the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co. Apply Wednesday between 9 and 11 o'clock.

UNNECESSARY ALARM.

An alarm of fire from box 24 about 11 o'clock yesterday morning was an unnecessary one. Burning meat at the home of Martin Moran at the corner of South and Appleton street which caused much smoke, gave a passerby the impression that a big blaze was in progress.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

THE REDS DOWNED

Champions Rubbed It Into the Cincinnatis

LEWIS PITCHED A GREAT GAME.

The Result of the Other Games.

CINCINNATI, O., May 29.—All red pitchers look alike to Boston. Phillips was fated to take his medicine in the last game of the series and he got a great big dose.

The Champions were out for the last bun in the Red's pantry, but after Cincinnati had squeezed out of a couple of bad boxes, the crowd, which was of generous half-holiday proportions, settled down with the fond hope of seeing the Reds turn out a winner.

For about five minutes, the porkopolitans' colors were ahead for the first time in the series. It was Dame Fortune, however, who enabled the buckeyes to fluke in the pair of tallies that proved to be their entire stock at the wind-up.

The fickle dame was in a flirtatious mood and Boston got three by luck chances precisely like the one that had given Cincinnati life.

Lewis never pitched a better game of ball in his life. He had speed and in all save one inning good command. His drop ball was a beauty. It came sailing up to the plate with all the earmarks of a high one and then shot downward. Twice he fooled the Red's $5000 prize package and he made Selbach look foolish.

Most of his strike outs were on drops that were called. Beckley, who a few weeks ago, was not hitting a little bit, is about the only red who has done any stick work against Boston. He found the parson's delivery just to his liking, but fortunately for Boston he stood almost alone with his singles in a desert of pop ups.

Tenney all but had an afternoon off at first for when Reds were not keeping Bergen busy they were firing off sky rockets.

The score by innings:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	0	3	3	1	1	0	0	8
Cincinnati	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Earned runs, Cincinnati. Boston, 5. Two-base hits, Smith, McPhee, Stahl, Stafford, Bergen. Three-base hit, Beckley. Double plays, Corcoran, McPhee and Beckley; Corcoran and Beckley; Miller and Beckley. First on balls, by Phillips, 3, by Lewis, 5. Umpires, Hunt and Connolly. Time 2h. Attendance 4100.

The other games resulted as follows:

New York, 9; Louisville, 6; St. Louis, 7; Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 5; Washington, 1.

Yesterday's games resulted as follows:

Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 1.
New York 4; Louisville 3.
Washington, 4; Chicago, 3.
Baltimore 15, Cincinnati, 9.

OTHER GAMES SATURDAY.

Lowell High, 13; Punchard High of Andover 6.
Shamrocks, 10; Emmets, 12.
Atlantics, 36, Calumets 16.
Columbians 16, Lawrence hosiery 12.
Crack-a-jacks, 29, T. R. & T.'s 18.
Spauldings, 10, Unions 9.
Tigers 33, Silent club, 32.
Beacons, 19; Courier Citizens, 9.

NEW ENGLAND GAME.

Manchester, 11; Lowell 7.

Information of priceless value to debilitated men—along with our trial treatment and marvelous developing appliance. Have cured thousands. Will cure you. Never disappoint. No advance pay or C.O.D. If not satisfied return everything to us. Our reputation and fees and justify our claims.
ERIE MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N.Y.

AGE NO BAR.

Everybody in Lowell is Eligible.

Old people stooped with suffering.
Middle age courageously fighting;
Youth protesting impatiently;
Children, unable to explain;
Baby crying, can't tell why;
All in misery from their kidneys.
Only a little backache first.
Comes when you catch a cold.
Or when you strain the back.
Backache is the first step of kidney trouble.
Many complications follow.
Urinary disorders, diabetes, Bright's disease.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure backache.
Cure every form of kidney ills.
Plenty of proof that this is so.

Mr. Almond Slader of 23 Richard St., says: "I was bothered for a long time with excessive action of the kidney secretions. Procuring Doan's Kidney Pills at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, the use of one box corrected the secretions to the extent of making them nearly normal. I believe Doan's Kidney Pills a thoroughly effective remedy for the kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

THE BON MARCHE DEPARTMENT STORE

LOWELL'S FAIRYLAND—THE PRIDE OF LOWELLL.

SPECIAL SALE

OF SMALL WARES, NOTIONS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERY, SILKS, BUTTONS, HOSE SUPPORTERS, ETC.

This Week--COAT THREAD 3c. SPOOL--This Week

Brainard and Armstrong's Silk, 6c a spool.
Brainard and Armstrong's Twist, 1c spool.
Brush Binding, 7c, for 4c yard.
Telegram Binding, 6c yard.
Worsted Skirt Braid (4 yards), 5c a piece.
Velvet Binding (4 yards), 7c a piece.
Hose Supporters, cheap at 10c, our price 7c a pair.
Cord Braid, all colors, 3c yard.
No. 4 Dress Shields, 15c pair.
No. 15 Dress Shields, 25c, 10c pair.
Velveteen Binding, (5 yds) 10c piece.
Waste Silk, 4c package.
SPECIAL—Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
15c Hair combs, 8c each.
25c Hair Brushes, 15c each.
5c box Hair Pins, 3c box
Hump Hooks, 1c card.
Darning Cotton, 2c ball.
See Cair's "Queen" Skirt Supporters. Special demonstration this week.
Filo Silk, 2 1-2c skein.
Silkette, the new substitute, 100 yards, 5c roll.
Cut Work Squares, 25c.
Satin Pin Cushions, 9c and upwards.
Dennison's Imperial Crepe Paper, new, all shades, decorations, 19c a roll.
Fancy Bead Edge, 5c yard.
Spangle Trimmings, were $1 to $1.97, now 25c yard.
Aplique Trimmings, were 75c and 98c, now 49c yard.
New Idea Patterns, 10c.
SPECIAL—Black Braid Trimmings, down—down.
Safety Pin Books, 6c book.
5c Star Binding (3 yds) 3c piece.
16c Stockenette Dress Shields, 7c pair, or 4 for 25c.
Brooks' Thread, 1c spool.
200 yards Spool Thread, 1c spool
19c Sterling Dress Stays, 14c doz.
15c Dress Stays, 8c doz.
200 yards Basting Cotton, 1c spool.
Basting Thread, 500 yards, 5c spool.
10c Tooth Brushes, 7c each.
25c Nail Brushes, 15c each.
10c Curling Tongs, 5c pair.
25c Ivory Combs, 5c each.
SPECIAL—Brainard & Armstrong's Twist, 1c Spool.
25c Hose Supporters, fancy web, 19c pair.
Gold Eye Needles, 3c paper.
Linen Finish Thread, 3c spool.
Buttons covered to order in one hour's notice. Any size.
Linen Trays hemstitched, 12 1-2c.
Waist Embroidery Silk, assorted colors, 22c package.
Morse & Kaley Knitting Cotton, 5c ball.
Sofa Pillows, 25c.
Dress Trimmings—The largest line in the city. Read a few specials.
Colored Braid Trimmings which were 10c, now 5c yard.
Fancy Braid Trimmings, were 5 and 10c, now 3c yard.
SPECIAL—Buckles for dress trimmings which were 10c, now 5c.
Feders' Brush Binding, 6c a yard.
Pearl Buttons, 5c doz.
Heavy Pearl Buttons, 10c doz.
Very Fine Pearl Buttons, 15c doz.
Safety Pins, 5c doz.
Gents' Fine Armlets, cheap at 15c. Our price, 6c a pair.
Sewing Silk (100 yds.), 3c spool.
Hair Pins, 10 bunches for 4c.
19c Web Elastic, 10c yard.
10c Feather Stitch Braid, 6c piece.
5c Thimbles, 3c each.
SPECIAL—Pins (full count), 1c a paper.
Invisible Hair Pins 3 1-2c box.
Taffeta Binding (best quality) 10c piece.
Silk Feather Bone, 10c yard.
Twill Covered Bone, 7c yard.
Fancy Trimming Braid, for wash dresses, 4c and 6c yard.
The new Cuff for shirt waist cuffs, Special sale this week.
Cut Work Doylies, 5c.
Linen Floss, 1c skein.
H. B. Tambour Cotton, turkey red, blue and yellow, 1 1-2c spool.
Head rests, 15c.
New Idea Paper Patterns, only 10c each. All sizes, all styles.
Dennison Imperial Crepe Paper, all new, pretty shades, 9c roll.
Aplique Trimmings, were 49c, now 25c yard.
Colored Braid Trimmings, which were 25c, now 10c yard.
Special Spangle Trimmings, which were $1.00 to $1.97, 25c yd.
Fancy Bead Edge, 25c, 10c yard.

At The Bon Marche Dry Goods Company, THE PEOPLE'S BENEFACTORS

☞ Delicious Soda Drawn From Our New Fountain. Try It.

It's the Best Place

You Always Feel Safe. The Old Reliable" Firm of

COOK, TAYLOR & CO., Central Street

Is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from "way down below" clear up through the frozen gold mines of Alaska. Every man, woman and child knows that if they buy themselves, or recommend a neighbor, honest, square dealing is meant for all and at all times. Every promise of last week, last year, or for past decades, have been faithfully kept and goods just as advertised have been given to the public. It's the same today in every department. Honest, clean, fresh, up-to-date, reliable goods at low prices boom business and each week makes a substantial gain in our sales. June is the month to shed the winter underwear, the entire family should make a grand change. Our stock fills all wants and desires. Everything comes to us from the knitting machines direct. Prices range according to quality, from 5c, for a complete Jersey Vest for women up to silk goods worth several dollars each. For this special sale week, see the Ladies' Vests at 10c, 2 for 25, 19c, and 25.

Today we place on sale 75 dozen Percale and Gingham Dresses for children from four months to four years at 25c. each, which no other concern can show for less than double our price.

500 pairs regular 49c. Summer Corsets, with lacings free at only 25c. a pair.

5000 Pieces auction Laces and Hamburg Edgings, All Overs and Pulling, Tucking, etc., full 25 to 50 per cent. under value. For instance, 5 pieces regular 65c. Hamburg, All Over, 25c. yard.

We carry a stock of nearly 100 dozen Reliance House Dresses and Wrappers at from 99c. up to $1.75 each and from 32 to 46 bust measure, made from best Prints, Lawns, Percales. This is a perfect fitting article in all cases.

Novelties in neckwear, Ribbons, Belts, Girdles, Bustless Corsets, Handkerchiefs, Aprons. Come and see, whether you desire to buy or not.

CARDERS AND PICKERS

SEC. CONNOLLY'S CALL FOR SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

Fellow Members of Carders' and Pickers' Textile union: You are all requested to attend the semi-annual meeting of your Union which will be held next Tuesday evening, May 30, at 173 Merrimack street and will be called to order at 8 o'clock precisely.

Let every member make an effort to attend this meeting and aid in choosing a full board of officers, with an executive committee, five collectors, seven delegates to the Trade and Labor Council; also the same number, seven delegates to the Textile Council, and put your active, energetic and ambitious members where they can do most to advance the cause of labor.

—THOMAS F. CONNOLLY, Sec'y.

SPECIAL SALE

OF LADIES' OXFORDS, a line that retail for $1.50 on Monday and Tuesday only.

$1.19 a pair.

J. J. LONERGAN,
215 DUTTON ST.

NINE WERE KILLED

In a Railroad Wreck at Waterloo N.Y.

CARS DERAILED BY A WASH OUT.

Sad Scenes Among Dying and Wounded.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

WATERLOO, Ia., May 29.—The through train from Chicago to Minneapolis over the Rock Island and Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railways, was wrecked at 1.15 yesterday morning at the crossing of Sink Creek about four miles southeast of this place. The train consisted of six coaches, including mail and baggage car, smoking car, two passenger coaches and sleeper. Nine persons were killed and 23 injured. The dead are: E. L. Arnold, lumberman, Minneapolis; W. A. McLaughlin, Muskegon, Mich.; R. H. Schwette, Alton, Ill.; David Halle, Minneapolis; F. S. Carpenter, St. Louis; —— Hawkins, Pullman conductor; George Wainwright, train conductor; Wm. Schollian, Waterloo, and one unknown person.

The engine struck the washout and was derailed in the ditch, and behind it the cars were piled up in a confused heap. The mail car tipped over and was telescoped by the baggage car, while the rear end of the baggage car in turn telescoped the smoker. The roof of the sleeper ploughed its way through the day coach while the lower half of the latter crashed through the sleeper. The engineer and fireman jumped and escaped with slight injuries.

Mr. Schwette was brought to this city alive but died at 8 o'clock. He was on his way to Minneapolis where he was to be married today. He asked his physician to telegraph his father and his sweetheart. "Tell her," he gasped, "that I have been detained by a wreck and cannot keep the appointment on time. Don't say any more." Then he lapsed into unconsciousness and died.

This was but one of many affecting scenes of the wreck.

"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good," cold weather in the month of May badly overstocked the O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., but the public will get the benefit in the gigantic mark-down sale they are preparing. See Wednesday's papers for particulars.

SACRED HEART BAZAAR.

The fair which has been going on at the Sacred Heart school hall came to a close Saturday after a successful run of two weeks, and it was a grand success. The following were the lucky ones, as they were the winners of the large prizes: 5000 feet of land, Miss L. Fisher, 17 London street; $25, E. F. McGlone; dinner set, Minnie McKeown, Newhall street; parlor lamp, O. E. Barll, 102 Chelmsford street; stove, Rev. Fr. Gigault of the Immaculate Conception church; velvet couch, Mrs. Barrows, 19 Newhall street; barrel of flour, Lawrence Farley, Chapel street. The following named persons were the winners for selling the largest number of season tickets: Sarah Daley, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Donahue, and Miss Flannigan.

The other awards will be announced on Thursday.

$50,000 is needed by O'Donnell & Gilbride Co., and to raise it at once they are preparing a gigantic sacrifice sale of their entire stock. Read their advertisement in Wednesday's papers.

DR. MARTEL'S BOOK,
"Relief for Women"

Sent free, in plain, sealed envelope. Write to-day for this book, containing Particulars and Testimonials of DR. MARTEL'S
French Female Pills.
Praised by thousands of satisfied ladies as safe, always reliable and without an equal. Sold by all druggists in metal box, French flag on top in Blue, White and Red. Take no other.
French Drug Co., 381 & 383 Pearl St., New York City.

OLD STYLES

Were all right when they were new styles, but the people of today demand clothing that is in style today and tomorrow and the days to come. Every garment we make is of the newest and choicest materials, and is up-to-date in every detail and essential.

LOUIS ALEXANDER
IMPORTER & TAILOR
65 CENTRAL STREET.
Paul O. Koble, Assistant.

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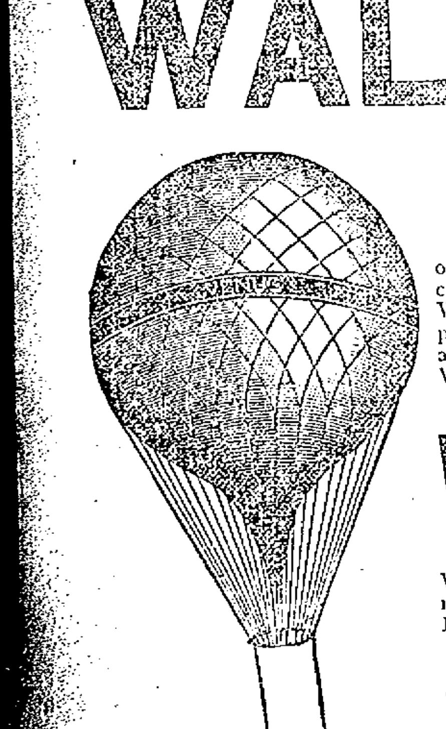

TUESDAY, MEMORAL DAY, TOMORROW.

Prof. Kabrich will distribute 25 deeds of WALBROOK LOTS to ease, without cost, the heart aches of the lucky finders. Why ease the heart aches ? Because many will be disappointed on the noon of Tuesday, when, perchance, they will find that all the saleable lots in WALBROOK have been sold. It looks that way now. In any event we shall reserve 25 lots, the deeds of which are to be hurled from the crystal battlements of the GREAT ASCENDING AIRSHIP ABOVE WALBROOK. Races, Games, Sports, etc., are the order of the day. The Prizes to consist of WALBROOK LOTS, Silverware, Watches, etc. Come early and bring your knitting. You'll find the latch-string out or else the door "open, wide open," and the key thrown away. Arrangements have been made with the Street Railway Company to run cars to Walbrook every 3 minutes during the afternoon of Tuesday, Memorial Day. It is rumoured that the selectmen of Dracut contemplate holding a special session this week to canvass the advisability of changing the name of the "Navy Yard" Village to WALBROOK. The name WALBROOK is in the AIR, and the name has a certain gentlemanly AIR ABOUT It. The people are contrasting WALBROOK LOTS and prices against these and those of and in other localities. Result—we cannot prepare the papers fast enough to satisfy the demands of our lot purchasers in WALBROOK.

A trolly car passes WALBROOK ever ninety seconds. 5c. fare from WALBROOK to any part of Lowell.

Walbrook Lot Prices, $19, $35, $49, $75 and $95, Ten Per Cent. Less for Cash

Terms $2 to $5 Down and 50c. to $1 a Week,

Without interest, taxes, notes or mortgages. No forfeiture. Free lots to HEIRS in case of death of purchaser. Please don't ask where WALBROOK is AT. Just take any Lakeview Ave. car at AT Merrimack Square—You'll find WALBROOK the fairest spot an earth in less than 15 minutes. If it takes more than 15 minutes by your watch you should consult a jeweler. You can get free tickets to WALBROOK also plans, etc., for the asking. If you ever intend to own a home act now before all the best lots are sold.

WALBROOK LAND COMPANY, WM. J. COUGHLIN, MANAGER.
15 CENTRAL ST., LOWELL